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Subjects were believed to have been traveling to Panama City Beach, Fla.

## Coffee County traffic stop leads to arrest of four with drugs/guns

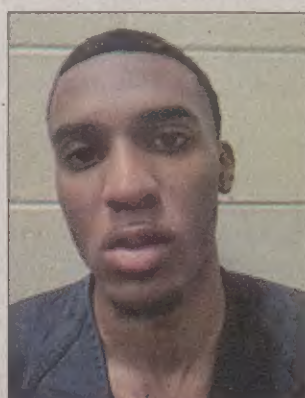
Four males, believed to have been on their way to Panama City Beach, Fla. last weekend, were arrested in Coffee County on various drug-related charges.

Coffee County Sheriff's Department Chief Deputy R.W. Whitworth said deputies conducted a traffic stop Saturday, March 26, on a vehicle in the area of Coffee County Roads 427 and 417. He said that vehicle was occupied by four males from Jefferson County, Ala., and deputies seized 60 grams of marijuana along with several firearms from the vehicle.

Deputies arrested Nadarren Crenshaw of Jefferson County charging him with possession of marijuana - second degree, and carrying a pistol without a permit. They



Nadarren Crenshaw



Chavias Cosby



Taylor McCloud

Birmingham, Ala. charging him with possession of marijuana - second degree, possession of drug paraphernalia, and carrying a pistol without a permit.

These two men were booked in the Coffee County Jail last Saturday with a combined total bond of \$14,500, according to Chief Whitworth. They

have since been released from the jail on bond.

Also arrested in this incident was Taylor McCloud of Birmingham. Whitworth said an active warrant in Jefferson County was discovered for the arrest of McCloud. As of press time this week, he remained in the Coffee County Jail waiting to be extradited back to

The fourth subject was a minor and no details were released on him.

Jefferson County.

A fourth subject in the vehicle last Saturday was a minor, and Whitworth said no details would be released on this subject due to his age.

## Alabama VOTES

The 2022 Primary Elections will be Tuesday, May 24, in Elba. On Monday, the Coffee County Board of Registrars reminded voters of some special election-related dates for the upcoming election:

- Coffee County Absentee office opened Wednesday, March 30th
- The cut off date for voter registration/changes for the May 24th election is Monday, May 9th.

## Coffee County Commission awards bid for county Voters List publication

by Linda Hodge, Editor

Coffee County Commissioners met Monday morning, March 28, and approved several departmental requests.

County administrator Rod Morgan was on vacation, therefore, chief accounting officer Melissa Glavan filled in for him. She said bids recently had been opened for the voters list publication with two

local newspapers submitting bids.

The Southeast Sun bid \$12,500 while the Enterprise Ledger bid \$13,750 to print the voters list for the county. Commissioners voted unanimously to award the bid to the Southeast Sun.

Upon request of county engineer Marty Lentz, commissioners voted to give him permission to deem a 2014 Chevrolet C1500 truck as surplus property to sell on GovDeals.com. Lentz said the truck had been utilized by the maintenance department as a spare vehicle, but it had started having transmission issues. He said it will be listed as for sale 'as is' on the GovDeals site.

Looking ahead to the next fiscal year, Lentz asked commissioners to approve a motion allowing him to place an order

for MowerMax machines designed to cut limbs and bushes off the roadside. He said these machines would replace the current four tractors with boom cutters the county utilizes.

Lentz said he anticipates a September delivery of the new MowerMax machines, and at that time, he would come back to the commission to deem the current tractors as surplus.

Commissioners voted to allow Lentz to order the two MowerMax machines for next fiscal year. For the environmental services department, commissioners approved repair costs in the amount of \$54,723.86 from Thompson Tractor for a final drive.

The sheriff's department also had a request to surplus some items. Captain Michael Hines asked for permission for the sheriff's office to be able to deem surplus and sell on GovDeals.com four items: a 2008 Ford Econoline 350 van, a 2012 Dodge Caravan, a 2006 Dodge Caravan, and a 2008 model enclosed trailer. His request was approved by unanimous vote.

## During Elba City Council meeting Monday night, March 28th

## Wiregrass Economic Development director says he sees opportunity in Elba

by Linda Hodge, Editor

The Elba City Council meeting Monday night, March 28, included a quick address to council members from the current Wiregrass Economic Development Corporation executive director.

Jesse Quillen joined Wiregrass Economic Development several months ago, and according to Mayor Tom Maddox, he has been making visits to Elba businesses "getting to know the people and industries" in the area.

In a quick address to the council, Quillen said he had visited several businesses in Elba, including Dorsey, INZI, Kelley's, National Security, and more. He said it had all been quite an experience, and the common thing he had found in Elba is seeing opportunity.



Wiregrass Economic Development Corporation's executive director, Jesse Quillen, briefly addressed Elba City Council members Monday night, March 28, noting he is excited about the opportunities he sees for the community.

"Most of these businesses are looking to add jobs right now, and even though it

is hard to find help, there is pressure there for the entities to grow," Quillen said. "I also have seen some opportunities here for new business growth in Elba."

Council member Gappa Wise noted that Quillen had been very visible in Elba.

"We appreciate it," Wise said. "It is good to have a friend here from Wiregrass Economic Development."

Officer Shayne Arnett provided an activity report on behalf of Chief Troy Staley during the meeting. Staley could not be at the meeting to present the report himself.

From Jan. 1 through Feb. 28, Arnett said the department had made 23 arrests

with 35 charges. Among those charges were eight for possession of a controlled substance, nine for possession of marijuana, one for illegal possession of a prescription drug, and 17 for possession of drug paraphernalia.

Assistant city clerk Amy Giles gave the city clerk's report. She noted that the baseball and softball seasons for Elba's Parks and Recreation had begun.

Giles said the city was in the process of getting quotes for the repair of the TigerTown Park bathrooms. These have been closed for several months due to fire damage.

Council member Jane Brunson asked if a rush could be put on this repair work as the city's Splash Pad would open at the end of May for the season. She said it would be good to have the bathrooms repaired and open again before the extra traffic begins visiting TigerTown Park and the Splash Pad.

Giles said the city's birthday is April 13th and Elba Elementary School students had been asked to create artwork to be displayed in the window of the old dime store building in celebration of the city's birthday.

Council members approved a motion to reappoint John Nelson to another term as supernumerary

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## Area Happenings

**THE ELBA ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENTS** will hold a meeting Thursday, March 31, at 8 a.m., at Elba City Hall. This is a public meeting.

**THE ELBA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE** will host an Awards Banquet 'under the lights' on the courthouse square Thursday, April 7, beginning with a reception at 7 p.m. Dinner will be served at 7:30 p.m. Featured entertainers for the banquet will be the LBWCC Ensemble. Cost is \$25 per person or \$200 per table. Call Sandy Bynum-Williams at the Elba Chamber office (897-3125) to reserve a spot.

**THE EVERGREEN CEMETERY BOARD IN ELBA** will meet Thursday, April 14, at 6 p.m., at Elba City Hall. This meeting is open to the public.

**ELBA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION** will be Wednesday, April 20, and Thursday, April 21, from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m. in the EES conference room. Parents/Guardians should bring the child's birth certificate, Social Security number, shot record, and proof of residence. The child should also attend registration.

## Elba Walking Tours set for Saturday mornings in April

The Elba Chamber of Commerce will host Walking Tours of the downtown area each Saturday morning in April, beginning at 10 a.m. The tours will begin from the Elba Chamber office, currently located on Factory Avenue, next to Blessed Nutrition, and are conducted by Elba Chamber executive director Sandy Bynum-Williams.

This is a great opportunity to learn about Elba's history. For more information, call the Elba Chamber office at (334) 897-3125.



**DAR CELEBRATES WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH...**Nell Gilmer, Immediate Past Regent of the John Coffee Chapter of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, showcased Women's History Month by displaying the book "Hello Girls", printed information about their accomplishments and a doll dressed as an operator at the Elba Public Library during the month of March. These Signal Corps Female Telephone Operators were WWI American female switchboard operators which were formed in 1917. What began in the 1980s as Women's History Week eventually became a monthlong celebration through a series of Congressional resolutions and Presidential proclamations. Since 1995, presidents have issued annual proclamations designating the month of March as "Women's History Month." The proclamations are meant to celebrate the specific achievements and contributions of women over the course of American history in every field. Gilmer is pictured above with the display at the library.



## EDITORIAL

## BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

*"The U. S. Constitution doesn't guarantee happiness, only the pursuit of it. You have to catch up with it yourself."* - Benjamin Franklin

Judge Ketanji Brown Jackson to join the U. S. Supreme Court. After all the gashing of teeth, etc., we predict that she will gain approval. We hear many Republican lawmakers trying to oppose her but fear a charge of racial profiling and will skip the vote or vote for her to prevent the backlash. Listening to some of the hours-long questioning for Jackson was entertaining for a while but became boring and worse - embarrassing. Clearly some of the lawmakers were only opposed because she was nominated by a Democrat, but they couldn't find intelligent sounding questions to ask her.

A friend (retired college educator) commented on social media that he first thought the comic TV show 'He Haw' was returning to the airways, but soon realized he was hearing excerpts of the Judge Jackson hearing.

The Alabama legislature is tackling state budgets with teacher pay and competing gambling bills absorbing a good bit of the final days of session. Senator Greg Albritton is championing a state lottery, sports betting, eight full casinos with slots and table games plus two smaller sites that could have up to 300 slot machines each. A house bill is for only a lottery. Representative Chip Brown, sponsor of this bill, said Thursday he is confident on getting the bill approved in the House. Both of these bills have three hurdles to get a bill on the governor's desk and THEN a vote of the people of Alabama.

Also getting a lot of chatter in the Legislature this year is a proposal for a Literacy Act delay and 3rd graders not proficient in reading being held back enforcement to the 2023-2024 school year. Then - charter school funding, plus Numeracy - improve math education grades K-5; Divisive concepts opponents say this bill is aimed to ban Critical Race Theory teaching.

The feds have just approved a second Pfizer and Moderna COVID booster shot for those of us who have had the first round plus one booster and are "over 50". These boosters are "at least four months after the last shot" Experts are nervous over the latest discovered omicron variant "BA.2". It seems to be a milder form of the virus but has proven much more contagious in China and Europe. Also approval was given for Moderna and Pfizer shots for younger people with compromised immune systems.

For the record, we will be in line for the additional booster shot just as soon as our four-month period from the previous shot has passed. Hope to see all our readers in the same line! Now - we have noticed these lines are not the same lines military recruits are in with needles coming from both sides and if you didn't move along, an enterprising medic would 'double shoot' you with whatever was loaded in his needles or 'shot gun'. They are calm friendly events with a very short, tiny needle handled by a soothe, professional and caring nurse.

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## Elba Police Report

The Elba Police Department, between Tuesday, March 22, 2022, and Monday, March 28, 2022, conducted the following activity:

**Tuesday, Mar. 22** - Theft of property reported at 1210 Jones Circle (9:47 a.m.); Suspicious vehicle reported at 1649 Boswell St (11:23 a.m.); Animal complaint reported at 1732 Martin Luther King Dr (1:35 p.m.); Civil complaint reported at 762 West St (2:05 p.m.); Harassment reported at 676 West St (8:42 p.m.); Disturbance reported at 602 Kendrick St (9:51 p.m.). One traffic stop on this date resulted in a citation.

**Wednesday, Mar. 23** - Assault reported at 990 Hwy 203 (7:22 a.m.); Animal complaint reported at 2702 Hwy 87 (8:11 a.m.); Harassing communications reported at 1231 Ann St (8:33 a.m.); Trespassing reported at 638 N Claxton Ave (9:49 a.m.); Disturbance reported at 1231 Ann St (1:23 p.m.); Harassment reported at 990 Hwy 203 (2:38 p.m.); Theft of property reported at 1231 Ann St (2:45 p.m.); Harassment reported on Simmons St (3:35 p.m.); Suspicious vehicle reported on Hickman Ave (3:55 p.m.); Report of shots fired in area of Reese Ave and Dayton St (9:52 p.m.). Four traffic stops on this date resulted in four verbal warnings.

**Thursday, Mar. 24** - Sex offense reported at 475 Smith Ave (12:39 p.m.); Suspicious person reported on Reynolds Ave (7:00 p.m.); Suspicious person reported at 221 E Davis St (9:34 p.m.); Disturbance reported at 738 West St (9:59 p.m.); Suspicious circumstances reported at 48 County Rd 607 (10:05 p.m.); Suspicious circumstances reported at 997 Winston Ave (11:02 p.m.); Suspicious vehicle reported on Hwy 84 at the city limits (11:31 p.m.). Fourteen traffic stops on this date resulted in five verbal warnings, six citations, and three written warnings.

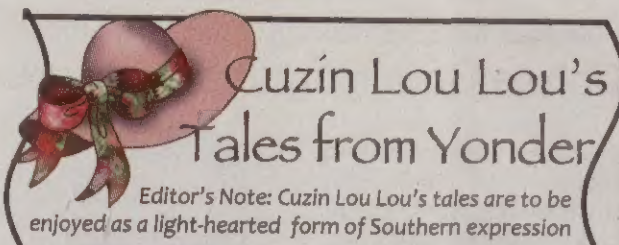
**Friday, Mar. 25** - No activity report received for this date.

**Saturday, Mar. 26** - Assault reported at 661 Reynolds Ave (12:57 a.m.); Traffic accident reported at Hwy 203/Hwy 87 (8:09 a.m.); Assault reported at 412 Claxton Ave (8:31 p.m.); Civil complaint reported at 529 N Claxton Ave (9:06 p.m.); Suspicious circumstances reported at 1176 Neil Grantham Dr (9:18 p.m.); Noise complaint reported at 631 Reynolds Ave (11:28 p.m.). Nine traffic stops on this date resulted in six citations, one verbal warning, one assistance rendered, and one written warning.

**Sunday, Mar. 27** - Noise complaint reported at 1094 County Rd 505 (1:07 a.m.); Sexual assault/rape reported at 2695 Hwy 166 (6:20 a.m.); Domestic violence reported at 878 N Claxton Ave (8:49 a.m.); Domestic complaint

reported at 1050 Teresa St (9:20 a.m.); Suspicious vehicle reported on Hwy 203 (4:15 p.m.); Domestic complaint reported at 21120 Hwy 87, Lot 2 (6:03 p.m.). Eight traffic stops on this date resulted in three citations, four verbal warnings, and one written warning.

**Monday, Mar. 28** - Suspicious circumstances reported at 1176 Neil Grantham Dr (12:09 a.m.); Trespassing reported at 550 King Circle (1:12 a.m.); Animal complaint reported at 820 Roosevelt Dr (3:21 p.m.); Harassment reported at 611 N Claxton Ave (5:57 p.m.); Animal complaint reported at 344 Reddoch Hill Rd (6:10 p.m.); Animal complaint reported at 1105 Guyton St (9:19 p.m.). Four traffic stops on this date resulted in two verbal warnings, and two citations.



Editor's Note: Cuzin Lou Lou's tales are to be enjoyed as a light-hearted form of Southern expression

Papa celebrated a birthday last weekend, reaching his 74<sup>th</sup> year! Don't tell him, but he does pretty good for an old guy!!

With the big day being on Saturday, Cuzin Lou Lou and Sister decided to treat Papa to a meal and baseball game...and not just any baseball game. It was a Savannah Bananas baseball game.

If you've never experienced a Savannah Bananas game, the Yonder gang definitely recommends you try and do so in the future! That is an 'entertaining' bunch of sportsters!

Of course, no Yonder gang trip would be complete without a Sister story!

Lou Lou has decided the older Sister gets, the worse she gets at being a good passenger in the vehicle. Even though the gang was traveling on Sister's vehicle, Lou Lou was the driver [as she is most trips], and Sister had no trouble letting Lou Lou know when she was unhappy with Lou Lou's driving skills. Yet, Sister did

not want to actually do the driving herself...she only wanted to fuss about Lou Lou's driving.

"Do you want to drive?" was heard many times on this trip to and from. The answer was always no, with an added remarks of "But, you need to do better."

At one point, Lou Lou missed a turn due to traffic and barriers that had been set in place on the roadway. No big deal. She would just go the next light, whip the vehicle around, and then get back to the road she needed.

Well...Sister refused to allow the "whip around"! She insisted Lou Lou make a left turn onto another road and then work her way back.

After a couple of minutes of Lou Lou and Sister arguing over the matter, Lou Lou conceded and said, "I will do as you say, ma'am. I want you to be happy."

Upon making said turn, they reached a point where, of course, the traffic flow did not allow for the way Sister had said to do things, so, Lou Lou whipped that vehicle around and went back to her plan! There was more grumbling from the passenger seat.

As for Papa, he was in the backseat laughing the entire time! He has learned that is the best way to handle those two!!

As the crew headed back home that night after the ballgame, they had only made it to the first traffic light before Sister found something to complain about again! She did not like the way Lou Lou made a left turn, even though it was a proper left turn due to the way the local police had the roads blocked! More discussions ensued of Lou Lou trying to explain "driving" to Sister...it was simply a waste of breath and words! Again, Sister was asked if she would like to drive. Again, the answer was no!!

Lou Lou did tell Papa that she would let Sister walk home if she kept on about her driving. He reminded Lou Lou they were on Sister's vehicle so she might want to back off that statement just a tad. He was probably correct. Older and wiser, and he knows both Lou Lou and Sister are all mouth!!

The crew made it home with no damage to vehicle or each other...luckily! Papa said he had a great birthday with his girls!

Now, Lou Lou and Sister and scheduled to take another [longer] road trip later this week with friends...Papa is sitting this one out and staying home with little Bean! Somebody better start praying immediately for them to make it through this trip!!

Until next time...God Bless and Keep Smiling!!

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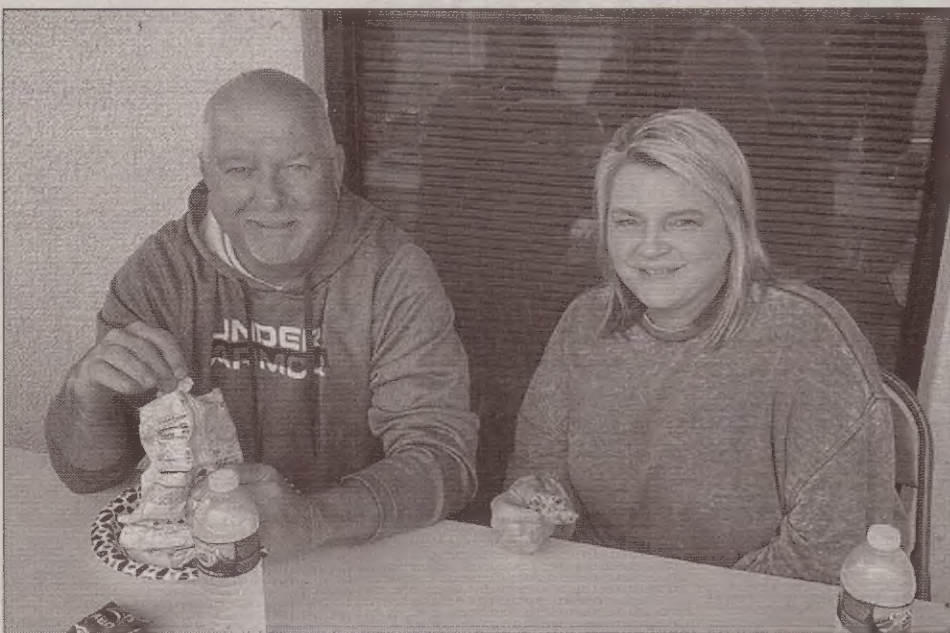


## Troy Bank and Trust hosted "Community Appreciation" event recently

The Elba branch of Troy Bank and Trust recently hosted a "Community Appreciation" day where the bank provided lunch for any and all that stopped by that day. Lunch included hot dogs, chips, cookies, and a water or soda.

Lots of community members stopped by to enjoy the free lunch provided by the bank as its employees were on hand to "thank" the community for trusting in Troy Bank and Trust. Employees also were available to answer any questions regarding bank services.

To the right and below are a few pictures from the "Community Appreciation" event.

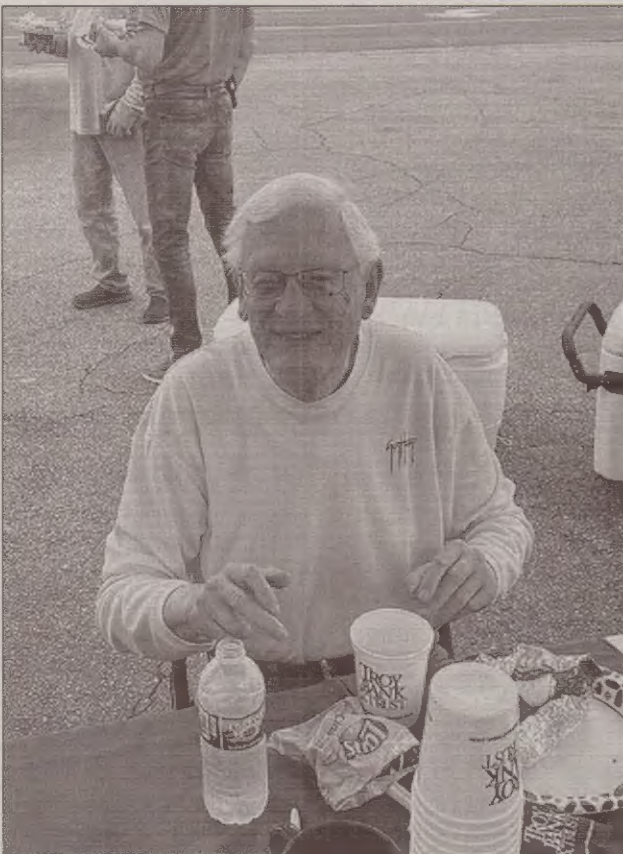


Dennis and Catina Manning enjoyed lunch together at the Community Appreciation lunch hosted recently by the Troy Bank and Trust Elba branch.



ABOVE: Elba branch Troy Bank and Trust employee Rene Lambert (right) passes a lunch plate to Sherry Harrison during the Community Appreciation event hosted recently at the bank in Elba.

RIGHT: Jearl Boland enjoyed his hot dog and chips with family members. His wife, Bertie, and great-grandson, Jackson Blair, ate with him at the event. Jearl and Bertie are the parents of Elba branch employee Melone Blair.



## At Farmers Market in Enterprise, Alabama

## Wiregrass 'Devilicious' Deviled Egg Contest set for April 9th

Submitted by Kay Kirkland

Break out your favorite deviled egg recipe. Copy the one your mom always served at Sunday dinner, or steal your grandmother's.

It doesn't matter if you choose a timeless classic recipe or experiment with a new twist on the taste of your deviled egg dish. Just whip it up and bring it to the Enterprise Farmers Market Saturday, April 9, for the sixth annual Wiregrass "Devilicious" Deviled Egg Contest!

Prizes will be awarded to the winners at 11 a.m. to highlight the annual Easter at the Market celebration that also features an Easter Hat decorating contest, a visit from the Easter Bunny, a Spoon and Egg Race for all ages and, of course, some of the first wonderful local produce of the season along with jams, jellies, salsas, honey and unique crafts.

Entries in the contest compete in four categories: Most "Devilicious" entry, which is the Best Tasting deviled eggs; the Most Eggsquisite (the Most Beautiful and Creative); Best Eggstraditional (the best traditional or classic recipe); Most Eggstraordinary (the best non-traditional with uncommon ingredients). The "Most Eggscellent (Overall, Excellent Winner) is normally chosen from among the category winners.

To enter the contest, bring 12 halves or whole eggs, depending on your recipe and presentation, to the Farmers Market between 8 a.m. and 10:15 a.m. Pre-registration is preferred, but you are welcome to enter by coming to the Market during the registration hours.

Entry forms are available by contacting Kay Kirkland at 334-348-2310 or [kkirkland@enterpriseal.gov](mailto:kkirkland@enterpriseal.gov) or by going to the Farmers Market website, [www.enterpriseal.gov/183/Farmers-Market](http://www.enterpriseal.gov/183/Farmers-Market) and Facebook pages [www.facebook.com/enterprisefarmersmarket/](http://www.facebook.com/enterprisefarmersmarket/). The winners will be announced and awards presented at 11 a.m.

"We are looking forward to a great day in Enterprise on April 9, starting with all the activities at the Market, including the Easter hat

decorating class," said Enterprise Special Projects Coordinator Kay Kirkland.

She explained that the Farmers Market had hosted an Easter Hat Parade and Contest beginning in 2016, the same year the Deviled Egg Contest began at the Market. This year, the Hat

Parade and Contest is moving downtown as a featured event at the annual Spring Festival at the Monument sponsored by Main Street Enterprise and Friends of Main Street/Downtown Enterprise. The parade and contest will be at 12:30 p.m. near the Boll Weevil

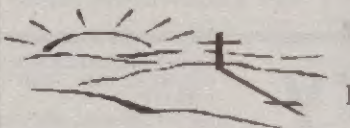
Monument.

Kirkland said, however, Farmers Market activities will get the day started off with the spirit of spring and the anticipation of Easter, while it also supports the hat parade by offering a hat decorating class. "Bring your big sun hat, straw hat, derby, Stetson, Fedora, ball cap, upside-down basket or just about any other shape you'd like that will fit your head," Kirkland encouraged. "Bring it to the Farmers Market and you can choose from a big variety of flowers, artificial eggs and other supplies that you can use to create a hat that reflects your style. Then you can wear your hat to downtown and show it off in the hat parade and contest."

Materials to decorate with are free for those attending, thanks to funding from a State Legislative Tourism Grant.

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## How to combat the feeling of loneliness after a loss

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Even though there may be others who are grieving with you and experiencing the same loss, your feelings of loneliness are unique. That is because your relationship with your loved one is unique. And your own social needs are also unique.

Here are some other common feelings associated with loneliness:

Feelings of isolation. Following the loss of a loved one it is common to want to be alone. It can be hard to socialize with others when you are grieving. Unfortunately, this can also lead to feelings of isolation, which can make you feel even lonelier.

Feelings of abandonment. It is also common to feel abandoned by your loved one. Grievers may feel left behind or deserted and ask questions like, "How could she have done this to me?" However, it is important to keep in mind that death is something that we can't control and your loved one didn't leave you on purpose.

Feeling alone in a crowd. One thing you may notice is how you can feel lonely, even if you are in a group of people. While you are grieving, everyone else is going on with their own lives. Feeling so different from everyone else can make you feel lonely.

The loneliness of grief is difficult to solve. But one thing to know about loneliness is that you can break out of it. When you are ready, reach out to those around you. Accepting help and love from those around you does not mean that you are forgetting your loved one.

Share your feelings with a trusted friend or family member. If you don't have a friend or family member to talk to, consider joining a grief support group or talking to a counselor or therapist. Know that you do not have to travel on your grief journey alone.

If you would like a free funeral decisions guide, please email me at [hayesfh@hayesfuneralhome.net](mailto:hayesfh@hayesfuneralhome.net)

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## Obituaries

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## TAMMY KAYE REEVES CARR

Mrs. Tammy Kaye Carr, age 56, of Greeneville, Tenn., died Tuesday, March

22, 2022, at Johnson City Medical Center in Johnson City, Tenn.

Funeral services were held Monday, March 28, 2022, from Whitewater Baptist Church, Elba, Ala., with Rev. Bruce Williams officiating. Burial followed in the Whitewater Baptist Church Cemetery with Hayes Funeral Home of Elba directing.

Survivors include her husband: William Stewart Carr, Greeneville, Tenn.; daughters: Samantha McWaters, and Stephanie McWaters, both of New Hope, Ala., daughter-in-law: Kelsey Lane McWaters, New Hope; son: James Douglas (Sarah) McWaters Jr., New Hope; stepdaughter: Raven (Travis) Bogart, Madison, Ala.; stepson: Brandon Stewart (Jessie) Carr, Andalusia, Ala.; brother: Francis "Sport" (Renee) Reeves, Elba; sister: Kathy Reeves, Toowoomba, Queensland, Australia; and five grandchildren.

Georgia State University and then earned his Master's degree in archaeology at the University of Alabama.

He was an expert in Southeastern archaeology. Over the next 20 years, he served as the senior archaeologist for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers cultural resources program, collecting and preserving the stories of the native peoples in archaeological sites including the Panama Canal and the Caribbean and around the Southeast, preserving the cultural heritage of the area.

He married Ann English Clark in 1979, and they built a life together in Fairhope.

Services were held Wednesday, March 30, 2022, at 2 p.m., at the Fairhope Chapel of Wolfe-Bayview Funeral Home. Visitation with the family was one hour prior to the service.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the USO at [www.donations.uso.org](http://www.donations.uso.org)

Survivors include his wife: Ann; daughter: Christa (Alex), Lake Charles, La.; son: Michael (Sara), Chesapeake, Va.; grandchildren: Thomas, Hailey, Kara, and Elizabeth; and many friends.

## JEROME JOHN

## "JERRY" NIELSEN

Mr. Jerome John "Jerry" Nielsen, age 77, of Fairhope, Ala., died Thursday, March 24, 2022, at home.

Jerry was born in Grinnell, Iowa, on Aug. 27, 1944, and moved to Decatur, Ga., as a child. He graduated from



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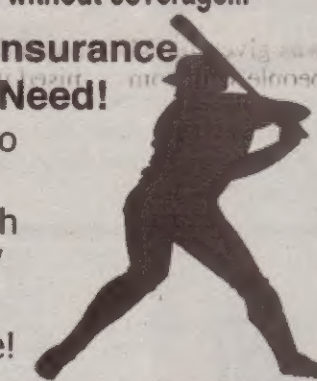
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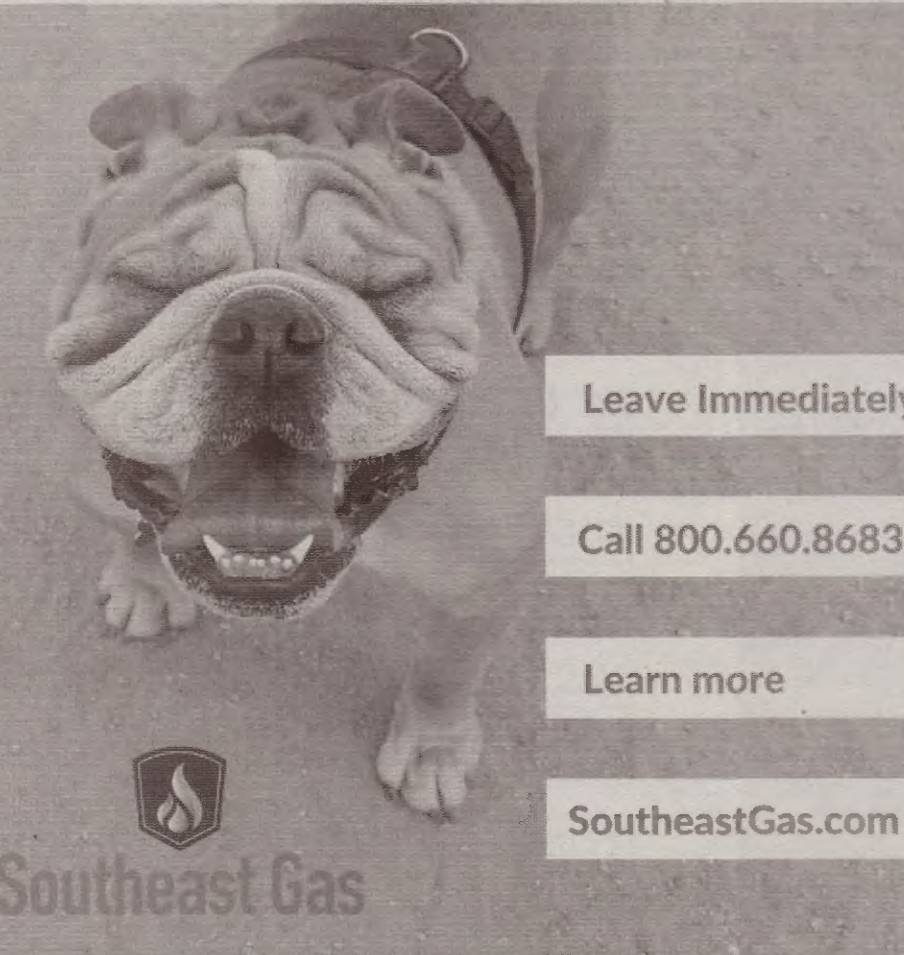
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# CHURCH NEWS

## PASTOR'S CORNER

by Jon Isaacs, Pastor

Grace Fellowship Holiness Church

**REDEEMING OUR VISION OF GOD - PART 3**  
Psalm 73:2-3;17 "But as for me, my feet were almost gone; my steps had well nigh slipped. For I was envious at the foolish, when I saw the prosperity of the wicked... (17) Until I went into the sanctuary of God; then understood I..."

For the past few weeks, we have been looking into the life of Asaph, leader for the temple choir in the days of David, and author of Psalm 73. He was a godly man who nearly allowed the evil deeds of others to eclipse his vision of God.

Thankfully, in Psalm 73, Asaph walks us all the way through to his recovery from his near slip. By penning his personal testimony into song, Asaph offers hope to those who would find themselves in a similar condition, perhaps even to you dear reader.

The means by which Asaph's vision of God was redeemed can be found in verse 17, "...I went into the sanctuary of God; then understood I their end..." Asaph's vision of God was restored when he went to the house of God. I realize that may sound too simplistic, but there is a reason the writer of Hebrews admonishes us, "Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching" (Hebrews 10:25).

As we go through our week as followers of Christ, we are constantly beset by conditions in the world which directly oppose our faith in God; influences and trends which would lead us away from our dependence on Christ, if we allow it. It is only by a firm hold on faith that we can walk in victory (Eph. 4:11-16; 1 Tim. 6:11-21; 1 Joh. 5:1-5). As we, like Asaph, begin to focus on the "fake-facts" the world offers in opposition to faith in Christ, our spiritual vision becomes blurry, and we begin to lose our way.

...But then comes Sunday! If we attend a gospel saturated church and hear Word-centered preaching, the influences of the world lose their downward pull on us as God's Word exposes the arguments of evil as lies. As our spiritual vision clears, we see once again the goodness of God underneath every difficult situation. We no longer need explanations; we are satisfied with faith in God's promises and trust in His faithfulness.

In the sanctuary, not only did Asaph hear the Word, but he was encouraged by observing other victorious saints. There is just something about being with those of like precious faith week after week. It gives us strength and stability when we see our fellow-believers overcoming in their personal trials (Heb. 11:1-40; Jam. 5:7-11).

Be encouraged child of God. You may have lost your way for a time, but let some parting words from Asaph encourage you, "...thou hast holden me by my right hand. Thou shalt guide me with thy counsel, and afterward receive me to glory. Whom have I in heaven but thee? and there is none upon earth that I desire beside thee. My flesh and my heart faileth: but God is the strength of my heart, and my portion for ever" (Psalms 73:23b-26).

## Mount Zion Baptist Church plans Children's Activity Day for April 2

Mount Zion Baptist Church, 774 County Road 223, New Brockton, Ala. [Mixon's Crossroads] invites children of all ages to an exploration of "The Empty Tomb" with Children's Activity Day on Saturday, April 2, from 1-5 p.m. There will be food, games, crafts, songs, skits, and much more.

On Sunday, April 3,

## Covenant Community Church to host Women's Retreat on April 2nd

Covenant Community Church of Elba will host a Women's Retreat on Saturday, April 2, from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m.

The guest speakers will be Rev. Beth Murchison and Judy Matthews. Murchison is a retired United Methodist pastor and a pastoral counselor providing spiritual guidance to people in need of

all ages and circumstances. Matthews' passion is to encourage women to believe God's love for them is more than they could ask for or imagine.

There will be teaching, activities, praise, and communion during this retreat. For more information or to register, call the Covenant Community Church office at (334) 897-2288.

## Mount Zion Baptist Church plans 'Spring Revival' for April 4th-6th

Mount Zion Baptist Church, located at 774 County Rd. 223, New Brockton, Ala., will host a Spring Revival in early April.

The Revival will be April

4-6, at 6 p.m. nightly with Bro. Lloyd Snellgrove, pastor of Mt. Vernon Assembly of God, Elba, Ala., serving as the guest speaker.

Everyone is welcome to attend.

## Bethany Baptist Church plans Resurrection Celebration and BBQ for Saturday, April 9

Bethany Baptist Church, located at 1805 County Rd. 533, New Brockton, Ala., will hold a Resurrection Celebration and BBQ at on Saturday, April 9, from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m.

There will be free BBQ plates, and live music. Everyone is invited to attend.

on the church grounds.

Along with the Easter Egg Hunt for children, there will be finger foods, and games. Everyone is invited to attend.

from 11 a.m. until 2:30 p.m.

## Military Support Group Meetings:

Enterprise Military Support Group meets on Tuesdays at 7 p.m. Anyone who needs to talk about difficult experiences and needs an understanding friend is invited. Meetings at Church on Boll Weevil Circle, 2017 Boll Weevil Circle, Enterprise, Ala.

## Round and About With Eria's Daughter



**Scripture:** The Just Judgement of the Wicked [Psalm 58: 1-11]

**Thinking of You! Praying for You.** Bernice Culver, Corene Wilkerson, Nursing Home Patients, Faye Manning, Helen Thigpen, Tarell Kelley, New Glorious Church Family

**March Birthdays / Anniversaries**  
Winzell Gray 3/22 (in memory)  
Stephenia Chism 3/22  
Mark Harris 3/23  
Rory Vignola 3/23  
Susan N. Marler 3/23  
Greg Wright 3/24  
Elder James Starks Jr. 3/26

## Keeping a Promise

"John did something terrible, but it was told to me in confidence. Promise to keep it a secret?" Some people find the more scandalous the story, the harder it is to keep a promise not to spread the tale. Thus some people make promises they fully expect to break.

On the other hand, there are promises that we do intend to keep. The contract we sign when we purchase a house is one such promise, one with penalties if we break it. The promise we make to love and cherish a spouse "till death do us part" is a promise most people intend to keep. Then there are the promises of God, such as the ones Solomon recalled for Israel. God is the ultimate keeper of promises. We who are His children are called on to be as faithful as He is in keeping our word. Whether to God or others. Do we? - C.R.B.

## Blind Spot

My phone dinged. Who is texting me so late? It was a male co-worker with a joke. I laughed and replied quickly. I was brushing my teeth when a second text came through. My husband walked into the bathroom with a puzzled look on his

face. "Who's texting you 'Good night. Sleep tight.'?" With a flushed face, I spat out the toothpaste and practically spat on him. "It was just a friend." My husband backed off.

Six months later, the texting had almost ended my marriage. I should have recognized the danger the moment I felt the urge to hide my phone. I told myself it was innocent even though my face would flush with excitement at the thought of the next text.

When we are saved, we receive a new nature, one that opens our eyes to temptation. We are to want what God wants and hate what God hates. How can you discover your own blind spots and learn to see clearly? - P.L.M.

## Question / Answer Section

Q/A for the Week of 3/31/22

Multiple Choice

Q: Jesus instructed us to express what to our enemies? (indifference) (love) (spite)

A: Love [Luke 6:27]

Q: How was the Samaritan described by the lawyer? (as the one who showed mercy) (as an outlaw) (as a true believer)

A: As the one who showed mercy [Luke 10:37]

Q: Jesus suffered for our what? - Pick Two (ignorance, iniquities, transgressions, tendencies, indiscretion)

A: iniquities, transgressions [Isaiah 53:5]

## Questions for the Week of 4/7/22

True or False

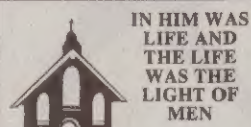
Q: In the parable of the merciful Samaritan, the religious leaders acted nobly?

Q: According to Jesus, His followers can do nothing apart from Him?

Q: The exercise of spiritual gifts without love is futile? Today is a good day! Be grateful.

Eria's Daughter, Sue

# Church Directory



IN HIM WAS LIFE AND THE LIFE WAS THE LIGHT OF MEN

## ABUNDANT LIFE CHURCH

Rocky Pearce, Pastor  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.

## ABUNDANT LIFE CHURCH SAMSON, Ala.

Richard Thorn Sr., Pastor  
Morn. Worship... 10:30 a.m.  
Wed. Night Service 7:00 p.m.

## ALBERTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Harry Driggers, Pastor  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Worship... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

## BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH

Sam Self, Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:30 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 10:30 a.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet. 6:30 p.m.

## BETHLEHEM BAPTIST CHURCH

Deborah A. Butler, Pastor  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Wed. Bible Study... 6:00 p.m.

## BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH

Greg Cotter, Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 10:00 a.m.  
Disciple Train... 5:30 p.m.  
Even. Worship... 6:30 p.m.

## BLUFF SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service 6:30 p.m.

## BROOKLYN BAPTIST CHURCH

Robert Davis, Pastor  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Worship... 6:00 p.m.

## CHESTNUT GROVE METHODIST CHURCH

Remonia Smith, Pastor  
Church Service... 9:00 a.m.  
2nd & 4th Sundays  
Sunday School... 9:00 a.m.  
1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
2nd & 4th Sundays

## CORNERSTONE BIBLE CHURCH

Larry Mills, Pastor  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Wed. Night... 7:00 p.m.

## COVENANT COMMUNITY CHURCH

Paul Jackson, Pastor  
Sunday Fellowship 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Worship... 10:00 a.m.  
Wed. Night "Peak of the Week & Meal" 5:30 p.m.  
Bible Study & Prayer... 6:15 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

## DAMASCUS BAPTIST CHURCH

Steve Watson, Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Worship... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

## DORCAS BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Discipleship Training 5:00 p.m.  
Even. Worship... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet. 7:00 p.m.

## ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST

Phillip Box, Minister  
Bible Study... 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study... 6:30 p.m.

## ELBA CHURCH OF GOD

David Noble, Pastor  
Morn. Worship... 10:45 a.m.  
Even. Worship... 5:00 p.m.

## ELBA CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY

H.L. Buckner, Pastor  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Night... 6:00 p.m.  
Thur. Night... 7:00 p.m.

## ELBA DELIVERANCE TABERNACLE

Allen Richards, Pastor  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service... 7:00 p.m.

## ELBA IS ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Dwight Johnson, Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:30 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 10:30 a.m.  
Even. Service... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service... 6:30 p.m.

## ELBA FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Kit Johnson, Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service... 6:30 p.m.

## ELBA ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

Love Martin, Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 6:00 p.m.

## EVANGELIST TEMPLE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

Timothy Williams, Pastor  
Sunday School... 10:30 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:30 a.m.  
Wed. Bible Study... 6:00 p.m.

## FAIRVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet. 7:30 p.m.

## FAITH CHAPEL COMMUNITY CHURCH

Phillip Adeock, Pastor  
Sunday Morning... 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

## 1st ASSEMBLY OF GOD - KINSTON

Danny Bradshaw, Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Wed. Bible Study... 6:15 p.m.

## FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH

Scott Donaldson, Pastor  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service 6:30 p.m.

## FRIENDSHIP HOLINESS CHURCH

Edward E. Drake, Pastor  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening... 5:00 p.m.

## GODS POWER HOUSE EVANGELISTIC CHURCH

Overseers - Billy Berry  
Sat. Service... 6:00 p.m.  
Sun. Service... 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 4:00 p.m.

## GRACE FELLOWSHIP

John Curtis Isaacs, Pastor  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service... 7:00 p.m.

## GREATER NEW ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

Jeremie Turner, Sr. Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Wed. Bible Study... 6:00 p.m.

## HARRIS TEMPLE COGIC

W. K. Ellison, Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Wed. Service... 6:00 p.m.

## HAW HILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Shirley Ellis, Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet. 7:00 p.m.

## HEBRON BAPT. CHURCH

Mark Cooper, Pastor  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 6:30 p.m.  
Wed. Even. Meeting 7:00 p.m.

## HOLY TEMPLE COGIC

Glenwood, AL  
Sunday Prayer... 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service... 11:00 a.m.

## INO ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Wesley D. Ard, Pastor  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meeting 6:30 p.m.

## INO BAPTIST CHURCH

Garry Winstead, Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meeting 6:30 p.m.

## JACK ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Matthew Morris, Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service 7:15 p.m.

## KINSTON 1st BAPT CHURCH

Jonathan Jenkins, Pastor  
Morn. Worship... 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday School... 9:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.

## LIVING WORD CHURCH

Derrick Stinson, Pastor  
Saturday Service... 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Service... 10:30 a.m.  
Even. Service... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Youth Service 6:00 p.m.  
Thurs. Service... 6:00 p.m.

## LIBERTY CHURCH OF CHRIST

Greg Hancey, Minister  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.

## LOVE'S WAY CHURCH

Charles Jones, Pastor  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

## MT. CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

J. R. Parks, Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
1st & 3rd Sundays

## MT. GILEAD BAPTIST CHURCH

Dewey Enfinger, Pastor  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service... 5:00 p.m.

## MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Olan Strickland, Pastor  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

## MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

Will Jordan, Pastor  
Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.

## MT. VERNON ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.

## Cathedral of the Holy Spirit NEW ABUNDANT LIFE CHURCH

Linda Williams, Pastor  
Sunday School... 11:00 a.m.  
Wed. Even... 7:30 p.m.

## NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST - ENTERPRISE

W. K. Ellison, Pastor  
Morning Worship... 9:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m.  
Tuesday Evening... 7:00 p.m.  
Friday Evening... 7:00 p.m.

## NEWBIA BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Disciple Train... 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Night Service 7:00 p.m.

## NEW BROCKTON METHODIST CHURCH

Dr. Craig Bailey, Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Worship... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study... 6:30 p.m.

## NEW CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Terry Godwin, Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 10:30 a.m.  
Wed. Bible Study... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet. 6:00 p.m.

## NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST CHURCH

Randall Pearson, Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 5:30 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet. 6:00 p.m.

## NEW GLORIOUS COGIC

James Starks Jr., Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Worship... 6:00 p.m.  
Bib Stud Wed... 6:00 p.m.

## NEW HAVEN BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School... 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 4:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet. 6:30 p.m.

## NEW HAVEN BAPTIST CHURCH

Lanny Shepard, Pastor  
Sunday School... 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service 6:30 p.m.

## NEW HOPE BAPT CHURCH

Sunday School... 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship... 11



## LIFESTYLES

### Coffee County Forest Landowner Association to host landowner tour in Coffee Springs, Ala.

The Coffee County Forest Landowner Association will host its annual landowner tour Friday, April 1, beginning at 8:30 a.m.

This year's tour will be held at Julian LeCompte's property, 1873 County Rd

643, in Coffee Springs, Ala. The tour will focus on quail management, pine site prep and planting, marketing timber for sale, establishing a hunting lease for property, and cost share opportunities available to

landowners.

The tour will also feature door prizes and a free lunch sponsored by First South Farm Credit in Enterprise.

To register, call the Coffee County Extension office at 334-894-5596.

### Elba Elementary accepting referrals for gifted students

Gifted students are those who perform at or who have demonstrated the potential to perform at high levels in academic or creative fields when compared to others of their age, experience, or environment.

These students require services not ordinarily provided by the regular school program. Students possessing these abilities can be found in all populations, across all economic strata, and in all areas of human endeavor.

Teachers, counselors, administrators, parents or

guardians, peers, self, or any other individuals with knowledge of the student's abilities may refer a student. Additionally, all second grade students will be observed as potential a gifted behavior checklist.

For each student referred, information is gathered in the areas of aptitude, characteristics, and performance. The information is entered on a matrix where points are assigned according to established criteria.

The total number of points earned determines if the student qualifies for

gifted services.

To make a referral, contact the Special Education Coordinator at 334-897-2814.

### Lifestyles News is due on Mondays!

### Two from Kinston recently named to Provost's List at Troy University

Troy University announces that two students from Kinston, Ala. have been named to the Provost's List for Term 3 of the 2021-2022 academic year. These students are Madison Lolley, and Amanda Robbins.

Full-time undergraduate students who are registered for at least 12 semester hours and who have a grade point average of at

least 3.65 qualify for the Provost's List. Term 3 includes students at TROY's campuses in Dothan, Phenix City and Montgomery, Ala., along with students outside of Alabama and online.

### Elba Chamber plans Awards Banquet for Thursday, April 7th

An Awards Banquet, hosted by the Elba Chamber of Commerce, will be Thursday, April 7, at 7 p.m. on the courthouse square 'under the lights' in downtown Elba.

Social time will begin at 7 p.m. with the meal to be served at 7:30 p.m. Entertainment for the event will be the LBWCC Ensemble.

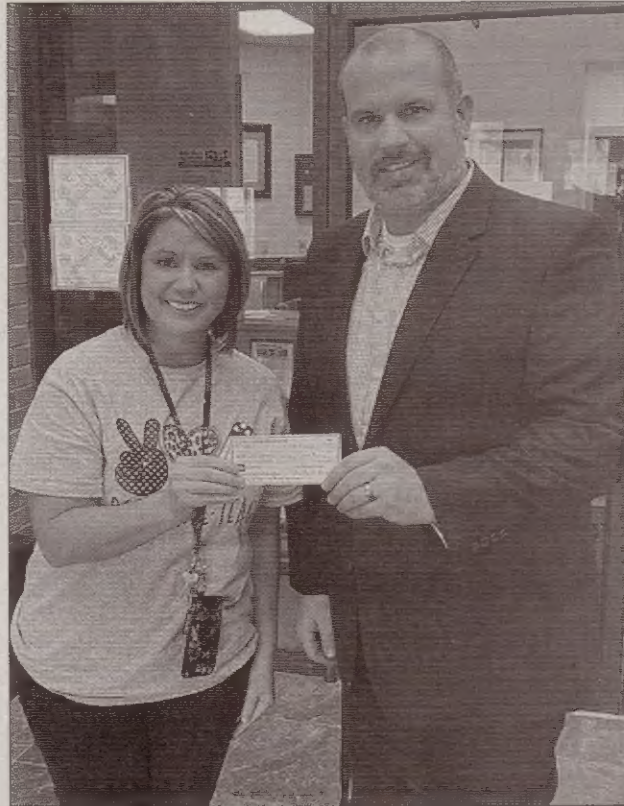
Tickets are \$25 each or \$200 per table (eight seats per table).

Contact Sandy Bynum-Williams at (334) 897-3125 to reserve a ticket for this event.

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THE CHURCH  
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SUNDAY!!**



New Brockton High School's Class of 1962 recently held its 60 year class reunion at Shane's Rib Shack in Enterprise. Attending class members are pictured above: (front row left to right) Donna Pittman Clark, Judy Fillingim Killingsworth Dismukes, Sue Watson Anderson, Jeaneria Stone Parker, and Amelia Herring Day; (back row left to right) Tom Steele, Earl Adkison, Joe Maddox, Jackie Helms, Leon Strickland, Paul Hornsby, Grady Devon Smith, Oree Hornsby, Ron Moore, Rodger Helms.



**ELBA HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION DONATES TO EHS CHOIR...**Sasha O'Neal, secretary of the Elba High School Alumni Association, is shown presenting a \$500 check to Jason Tucker, Elba High School Choir director and assistant principal, on Thursday, March 24, 2022. The Alumni Association donated these funds to the Elba High School Choir to assist with student fees for the upcoming production of Disney's Lion King Jr. musical to be performed by Elba students in May. The musical will be performed May 5th-7th at the Elba High School auditorium. There will be 6:30 shows on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights and a Saturday matinee show. Tickets will go on sale soon!

### Then & Now: Elba High School Class of 1966 Breakfast Club



Edward Morris Then on left; Now on Right

**Elba Chamber Awards Banquet  
Downtown - Under the Lights  
April 7th, 7:00 pm**



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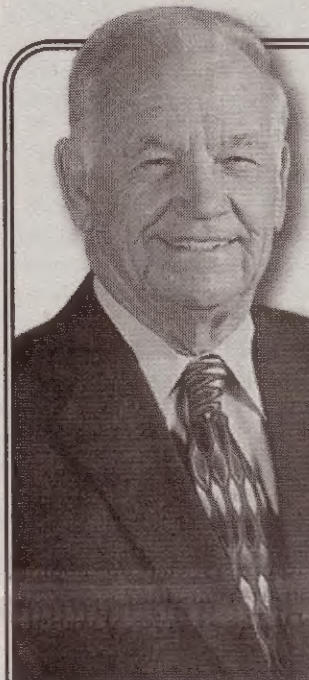
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### MEETING NOTICE:

The Evergreen Cemetery Board will hold its regularly scheduled meeting Thursday, April 14, at 6 p.m. at Elba City Hall, located at 200 Buford Street, Elba, Ala. The meeting is open to the public.



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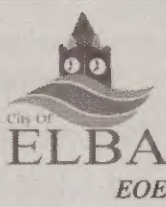
**THE ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH** is seeking LPNs and RNs for part-time positions in the Wellness Program. Responsibilities include conducting biometric screenings and administering influenza vaccine at worksites. Must enjoy working with the public, teamwork with other nurses, and strong interpersonal skills.

To request more information, go to [alabamapublichealth.gov/worksitewellness/contact.html](http://alabamapublichealth.gov/worksitewellness/contact.html). To apply visit <https://www.alabamapublichealth.gov/employment/opportunities.html>, apply for Licensed Practical Nurse-Hourly - 40122 or Nurse-Hourly - 40251.

The Alabama Department of Public Health complies with the State and Federal laws prohibiting employment discrimination based on race, color, religion, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, genetic information, national origin, citizenship, age, or physical or mental disability. The Alabama Department of Public Health is an Equal Opportunity Employer (EOE).

### We're Hiring!

The City of Elba is accepting applications for the positions of **Bush Hog Operator/Levee Mower** **Animal Control Officer**



Please visit [www.elbaalabama.net](http://www.elbaalabama.net) to download an application and to review the job description in its entirety. Resumes and completed applications may be dropped off at: Elba City Hall, 200 Buford Street, Elba, AL 36323 or emailed to [info@elbaal.gov](mailto:info@elbaal.gov) (Please specify which job you are applying for if you email the resume and application)

### THE CITY OF ENTERPRISE IS ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR THE POSITION OF (CERTIFIED & NON-CERTIFIED) POLICE OFFICER

The employee patrols a designated section of the city on foot or in patrol car. Responds to calls. Conducts preliminary investigation and makes arrests. Serves warrants and subpoenas. Testifies in court. Provides traffic control and assistance. Performs other police related duties as assigned.

#### Minimum Qualifications:

**Must** be 19 years of age. **Must** possess a high school diploma as approved or recognized by the Alabama State Department of Education and successfully complete a Basic Abilities Test as required by APOST or possess an associate's degree or higher. **Must** not have any felony convictions as an adult. **Must** not be prohibited by state or federal law to own, possess or carry a firearm including a pistol, rifle or shotgun. **Must** be a U.S. citizen. **Must** be honorably discharged if the applicant served in the armed forces. **Must** possess a valid driver's license.

Starting Date: March 2nd, 2022  
Closing Date: April 2nd, 2022

For those that meet the minimum qualifications, a Physical Ability/Agility test will be given after the closing date for non-certified applicants on Thursday April 14th and on Friday April 15th, 2022 at 9:00AM. Written exam will be given at 2:00PM on Friday April 15th, 2022. Candidates will be notified by e-mail once the position closes.

To Apply, visit: [www.enterprisecal.gov](http://www.enterprisecal.gov)

CITY OF ENTERPRISE  
CITY HALL, 501 S MAIN ST.  
ENTERPRISE, AL.  
M - F, 7:30 - 4:30.  
EOE

### THE CITY OF ENTERPRISE

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Facilities Maintenance Technician  
Heavy Equipment Operator (Class B CDL)  
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## PUBLIC NOTICES:

Public Notices also are posted on the websites: [www.elba-clipper.com](http://www.elba-clipper.com) and [www.alabamapublicnotices.com](http://www.alabamapublicnotices.com) at no extra charge

### STATE OF ALABAMA COUNTY OF COFFEE NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage and security agreement executed by JON WESLEY BRAGG, an unmarried person, on the 17th day of September 2019, to 21ST MORTGAGE CORPORATION, as recorded in A/OFFER Book 188A, Page 748, in the office of the Probate Judge of Coffee County, Alabama; 21ST MORTGAGE CORPORATION, as Mortgagee, by reason of such default having declared all of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage and security agreement due and payable and such default continuing, notice is hereby given that, acting under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and security agreement, and as authorized by Section 7-9A-604(a)(2) of the Code of Alabama of 1975 as amended, 21ST MORTGAGE CORPORATION, as Mortgagee, will sell at public outcry, for cash to the highest bidder, in front of the Courthouse door, in the City of Elba, Coffee County, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on April 13, 2022, the following described real and personal property situated in Coffee County, Alabama, to-wit: A lot or parcel of land located in the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 4, T7N, R21E, Jack Community, Coffee County, Alabama, and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the South line of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 4, T7N, R21E, and the West right of way of Alabama Highway #167 (R/W 140'); thence run S 89° 46' 58" W for 1159.95 feet to the East right of way of Coffee County Road #201 (R/W 80'); thence run N 03° 16' 18" W a chord distance along said R/W for 828.99 feet; thence run S 86° 58' 56" E for 605.87 feet; thence run S 22° 03' 22" E for 118.07 feet; thence run S 77° 39' 44" E for 219.21 feet; thence run N 89° 46' 43" E for 362.27 feet to the West right of way of Alabama Highway #167; thence run S 02° 09' 58" W along said R/W for 636.95 feet to the Point of Beginning. Said parcel being entirely located in the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 4, T7N, R21E, Jack Community, Coffee County, Alabama, and containing 20.1 acres more or less. According to that certain survey by Lee Ashley Yelverton, License No. 326323 dated July 12, 2019, NCLUDING a security interest in one (1) 2020 Buccaneer manufactured home, Serial No. CBC050539ALAB; together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging and all fixtures now attached to and used in connection with the premises herein described. This property will be sold on an "as is, where is" basis, subject to any easements, encumbrances, and exceptions reflected in the mortgage and those contained in the records of the office of the Judge of Probate of the county where the above-described property is situated. This property will be sold without warranty or recourse, expressed or implied as to title, use and/or enjoyment and will be sold subject to the right of redemption of all parties entitled thereto. Alabama law gives some persons who have an interest in property the right to redeem the property under certain circumstances. Programs may also exist that help persons avoid or delay the foreclosure process. An attorney should be consulted to help you understand these rights and programs as a part of the foreclosure process. Said sale will be made subject to any existing Federal Tax Lien, if any, and/or

Special Assessments, if any, which might adversely affect the title to the subject property.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by the above-described mortgage, and the proceeds thereof will be applied as provided by the terms of the said mortgage. This sale is subject to postponement or cancellation; contact Margery Oglesby at the phone number shown below prior to attending the sale. Kristofer D. Sodergren Attorney for 21st Mortgage Corporation ROSEN HARWOOD, P.A. 2200 Jack Warner Pkwy Ste 200 P.O. Box 2727 Tuscaloosa, AL 35403 (205) 344-5000 3-17, 24, 31- chg

### Medley Notice: "NOTICE OF DIVORCE ACTION"

Jerome Medley, whose whereabouts are unknown, must answer Catina Medley's Petition for Divorce and other relief by May 9th, 2022, or, thereafter, a judgment by default may be rendered against him in Case No. 71-DR-2021-900129.00, Circuit Court of Coffee County. Done the 6th day of March, 2022.

Hon. Jeffrey W. Kelley Circuit Court Judge of the 12th Judicial Circuit.

Dana Delk P.O. Box 5064 Montgomery, Alabama 36103 Attorney for Catina Medley 3/17,24,31&4-7/chg

### IN THE PROBATE COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ELBA DIVISION

CASE NO. PC 2022-016

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LILLIAN TAYLOR, Deceased

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Take notice that Letters Testamentary were granted to Nancy Taylor as Personal Representative of the Estate of Lillian Taylor, deceased, on the 8th day of March, 2022, by the Judge of Probate for Coffee County, Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

/s/Nancy Taylor  
Nancy Taylor  
Personal Representative  
3-17,24 & 31-pd

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ELBA DIVISION

CASE NO. PC 2022-015

IN THE MATTER OF BRENDA GAIL POLK, Deceased

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION Limited Letters of Administration of said deceased having been granted to LUCIEN POLK on the 8th day of March 2022 by the Honorable Jodee R. Thompson, Judge of Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred. Witness my hand this the 8th day of March 2022. LUCIEN POLK Personal Representative 3-17,24 & 31-pd

More Public Notices are on Page 7!





**DAR CHAPTER DONATES TO VFW FOOD DRIVE...**The John Coffee Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) made a \$100 donation to the John Wiley Brock VFW Post 6683 for their upcoming food drive, supporting the tenets of DAR - Preservation, Education and Patriotism. Shown in photo from left: VFW Junior Vice Commander Mike Sutterfield accepting the presentation; Regent of John Coffee DAR Jacque Hawkins making the presentation; VFW Acting Sergeant at Arms Bob Schmidaauer; and VFW Past Commander Otis Smith. Everyone is encouraged to participate in the food drive, which will be Saturday, April 9, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. in front of the Walmart in Enterprise. Food items collected will be donated to a local food bank.

## CDC offers new COVID-19 quarantine and isolation calculator for the public

Cases, hospitalizations and deaths from COVID-19 have declined greatly in Alabama. However, it is unknown if the BA.2 subvariant or other emerging variants may escape the immune's systems response from either a previous COVID-19 infection or vaccine-induced protection. If so, mitigation measures such as masking and physical distancing will be again be needed.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recently announced a change to Community Levels from the previous Community Transmission to streamline public knowledge about which and when individuals should consider masking. Community levels for COVID-19 can be viewed at <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/science/community-levels.html>.

The guidance for isolation and quarantine, however, did not change. Isolation and quarantine help protect the public by preventing exposure to people who have or may have a con-

tagious disease. These practices have resulted in reducing the number of people infected and the number of deaths from COVID-19. To simplify guidance, the CDC has developed a new COVID-19 Quarantine and Isolation (Q&I) Calculator at <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/your-health/quarantine-isolation.html>.

CDC created this calculator to take the stress out of figuring when, and for how long, people with COVID-19 and close contacts need to stay home, get tested and wear a well-fitting mask. The Q&I Calculator provides important information about what precautions people with COVID-19 and their close contacts can take to protect loved ones and slow the spread of the virus in their communities.

The CDC states that this online, mobile-friendly calculator provides an easy-to-use way to help people follow CDC's quarantine and isolation guidance and get customized information to address their unique situation. It can

be used by individuals, health-care providers, businesses, and organizations that are managing COVID-19 cases and close contact exposures.

The CDC advises the public that the Q&I Calculator is not for people with COVID-19 who are moderately or severely ill or those who have a weakened immune system (immunocompromised). Parents of children in K-12 schools and early child care and education programs, and people in high-risk congregate and healthcare settings should refer to CDC recommendations for COVID-19 Quarantine and Isolation.

COVID-19 testing can help people determine whether they are infected, regardless of whether they have symptoms. The Alabama Department of Public Health reminds the public that in-home COVID-19 tests are still available from the federal government at no charge. Every home is eligible to order two sets of four free at-home tests that will be mailed to residences. Ordering information is available at <https://www.covidtests.gov/>

## PUBLIC NOTICES: (Continued from Page 6)

**Notice is hereby given that T&K CONSTRUCTION LLC** has completed the contract for Construction of the "Coffee County Sanitary Landfill Cell 8 Construction" project located near Elba, Alabama for the Coffee County Commission. Anyone having claims against this project should contact the CDG Engineers & Associates, Inc. at 1829 E. Three Notch Street Andalusia, AL 36421 during this notice period. 3/24,3/31,4/7&4/14-chg

**IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ENTERPRISE DIVISION**

**IN RE THE MATTER OF:**  
M.G.C.  
A minor child under the age of 18 years.

**CASE NO.: 71-JU-2020-000221.02 (DOB: 09/13/2020);**

**NOTICE TO ELIZABETH CABALLERO:**

You are hereby given notice that a petition has been filed by the Coffee County Department of Human Resources requesting that your parental rights be terminated to the following child: M.G.C. born 09/13/2020. You are hereby given notice that you are required to file an Answer with the Clerk of Juvenile Court and with the Petitioner's Attorney: Hon. Rachel H. Sullivan at P.O. Box 336, Geneva, AL 36340, within 14 days of the date of the last publication of this notice or a default judgment can be entered against you. A final hearing has been set for May 5, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. at the Coffee County Courthouse in Enterprise, Alabama. You may appear and contest the same if you choose. **DONE this 16th day of March, 2022.** **/s/ JOSHUA F. WILSON JUVENILE JUDGE** 3/24, 3/31, 4/7 & 4/14-chg.

### LEGAL NOTICE

**NEWELL ROADBUILDERS, INC.,** hereby gives notice of completion of contract with The State of Alabama for construction of Project No. ST-016-203-001 Coffee County. This notice will appear for four consecutive

weeks beginning on March 31, 2022, and ending on April 28, 2022. All claims should be filed at 13266 US Highway 31, Hope Hull, Alabama 36043, during this period.

**NEWELL ROADBUILDERS, INC.**  
Contractor  
3/31,4/7,14,21-chg

**IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ELBA DIVISION**

**CASE NO. JU 2020-34.03 (FATHER)**

**IN THE MATTER OF C.A.W.,**  
A minor child  
d/o/b 05/21/2014

**NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS ACTION**

Notice to: Mitchell Adam Whaley, the Father of C.A.W. dob 05/21/2014, whose whereabouts are unknown, must answer the Coffee County Department of Human Resources' petition for Termination of Parental Rights and other relief by the 28th day of May 2022, or, thereafter, a judgment by default may be rendered against him in Case No. 19 JU 2020-34.03, in the Juvenile Court of Coffee County, Alabama, Elba Division. A final hearing has been set for the 9th day of June, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. at the Coffee County Courthouse, Elba Division. **DONE this 23rd day of March, 2022.**

Hon. Amy Reeves, Clerk of the Circuit  
230 P Court Avenue  
Elba, Alabama 36323  
Juvenile Court of Coffee County, Alabama, Elba Division.

David M. White  
Attorney for CCDHR  
P.O. Box 311412  
Enterprise, Alabama 36331  
3/31,4/7,4/14,4/21-4tc

**IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ELBA DIVISION**

**IN THE MATTER OF C.A.W.,**  
\*  
**CASE NO. JU 2020-34.03**

**A minor child d/o/b 05/21/2014**

**NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS ACTION**

Notice to: Jana Cheri Whaley, the Mother of C.A.W. dob 05/21/2014, whose whereabouts are unknown, must answer the Coffee County Department of Human Resources' petition for Termination of Parental Rights and other relief by the 28th day of May, 2022, or, thereafter, a judgment by default may be rendered against her in Case No. 19 JU 2020-34.03, in the Juvenile Court of Coffee County, Alabama, Elba Division. A final hearing has been set for the 9th day of June, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. at the Coffee County Courthouse, Elba Division.

**Done this, the 23rd day of March, 2022.**

Hon. Amy Reeves, Clerk of the Circuit  
230 P Court Avenue  
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Juvenile Court of Coffee County, Alabama, Elba Division.

David M. White  
Attorney for CCDHR  
P.O. Box 311412  
Enterprise, Alabama 36331  
3/31,4/7,4/14,4/21-4tc

## ELBA

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on the Zoning Board of Adjustments.

Also, during the meeting, Mayor Maddox said a new administrative assistant would begin work at city hall Monday, April 4. He said Sandra Berry had been with Cato Corporation since 1999, and he was pleased to have her join the Elba City Hall staff.

Maddox noted seven more properties are ready for FEMA buyout, and those buyouts are scheduled for April 8th.

The next Elba City Council meeting is set for Monday, April 11, at 5:30 p.m.



## 2022 COFFEE COUNTY ALABAMA TAX LIST

### LEGAL NOTICE STATE OF ALABAMA COFFEE COUNTY REVENUE COMMISSIONER'S SALE

I, Ronald L. Burns, Revenue Commissioner for Coffee County, by virtue of a decree rendered by the Probate Judge, Jodee R. Thompson, of said county on March 1, 2022 will proceed to sell to the highest bidder for cash, before the courthouse door in Elba, said county within the hours of legal sale on April 19th, 2022 at 10:00 A.M. the following described Real Estate for taxes and cost due thereon for the year 2021.

March 17, 24 & 31, 2022

**BOLTON JUDY KAY ROH;**  
12-05-22-0-000-001.002  
S/T/R-22/05N/19E COMM  
@ INT S ROW RD 42 &  
E/L OF SW 1/4 OF NW 1/4  
SELY 610' TO POB SWLY  
210' SELY 210' NELY 210'  
NWLY 210' TO POB  
Tax & Costs 70.39  
Printer's Fee 32.34  
Total \$102.73

**BRYANT PAULA WILLIAM BRYAN**  
02-07-26-0-000-014.001  
S/T/R-26/07N/21E  
COMM @ INT N/L OF  
SW1/4 OF SW1/4 & E/R/W  
CO RD 33;SE'LY 285.7'  
TO P.O.B.; SE'LY 50.25';  
E 140.96';S'LY 94.08'; W  
122.17'; NW'LY 131.26'  
TO P.O.B  
Tax & Costs 165.24  
Printer's Fee 30.36  
Total \$195.60

**COLLINS WORTH WILLIAM BRYAN**  
11-03-05-3-002-019.000  
S/T/R-05/05N/20E COM  
AT INT OF W R/W OF  
MORROW ST AND N  
R/W OF SUNSET BLVD;  
TH NW'LY 200' TO POB;  
TH W'LY 185'; N 141.5'; E  
147'; SE'LY 100' TO POB.  
CONT .44 ACRES.  
Tax & Costs 430.73  
Printer's Fee 33.00  
Total \$463.73

**BOWLING DEANNA & ROBBINS MARK** 13-08-33-0-000-002.003  
S/T/R-33/04N/19E COM  
AT THE INT OF S R/W  
OF AL HWY 134 AND  
THE E/L OF NW 1/4, TH  
W 86.76' TO P.O.B. TH  
S 159.39', W 129.55', N  
158.87', E 145' TO P.O.B.  
CONT .50 ACRES.  
Tax & Costs 111.54  
Printer's Fee 35.64  
Total \$147.18

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**EDWARDS RANDY R**  
11-04-17-1-002-020.004  
S/T/R-17/05N/20E COM  
AT THE POINT OF INT  
OF CENTER LINE OF  
DOCTOR ROBERTS  
DRIVE & W R/W OF CO  
RD 401, TH N 669.78' TO  
P.O.B. TH N'LY 106.50',  
W 434.90'; S 105'; E 420'  
TO P.O.B  
Tax & Costs 148.18  
Printer's Fee 34.32  
Total \$182.50

**HARRISON JOHNNIE 1/2**  
INT; DRIGGERS WILLI  
12-01-12-4-000-047.000  
S/T/R-12/05N/19E A LOT  
IN THE E 1/2 OF SE 1/4  
DESC AS BEG 409'S OF  
INT HWY 84 & W ROW  
LARKIN RD TH W 200' S  
90' E 200' N 90' TO POB  
IN ELBA  
Tax & Costs 203.88  
Printer's Fee 35.64  
Total \$239.52

**JOHNSON TIMMY RAY**  
11-02-09-3-000-007.000S/  
T/ R-09/05N/20E BEG AT  
THE INT OF W/L OF SEC  
ANDS R/W OF BRUNSON  
CIRCLE, TH E'LY ALG R/  
W140'S, SW 200', W'LY  
103', N 185'S TO POB.  
CONT .50 ACRES.  
Tax & Costs 166.99  
Printer's Fee 29.04  
Total \$196.03

**LEE CHARLES E & TRILBY B** 13-01-02-0-000-001.002 S/T/R-02/04N/19E  
BEG AT INT OF S R/W  
OF CO RD 417 & E R/W  
OF CO RD 416 TH SE'LY  
1450'(S), W 1080'(S),  
N'LY 870'(S) TO POB  
Tax & Costs 187.67  
Printer's Fee 29.04  
Total \$216.71

**LEE ROBERT A** 11-03-07-1-001-057.000 S/T/R-07/05N/20E  
MULBERRY HGTS SUB BLK 6 LOTS  
60(N 10 FT) & ALL OF  
LOT 61 ELBA  
Tax & Costs 159.62  
Printer's Fee 20.46  
Total \$180.08

**MADDOX NAOMA J (DEC)** 11-04-17-1-001-032.000 S/T/R-17/05N/20E  
A LOT IN NE1/4 OF  
NE1/4 DESC AS BEG  
95' SLY FROM SE INT  
OF BRUNSON ST & DR  
ROBERTS DR TH SE  
396.5' SW 74.4' NW 397.5'  
NELY 75' TO POB  
Tax & Costs 171.48  
Printer's Fee 32.34  
Total \$203.82

**MCCARTY FRED C & MEGAN L** 02-02-04-0-000-002.012 S/T/R-04/07N/21E  
COM AT THE INT OF W  
R/W OF AL HWY 167 &  
N/L OF SEC, TH S 850'  
TO POB, THS 1003.04',  
W 362.85', NW 219.21',  
NW 707.34', NE 944.80'  
TO POB. CONT 14.50 AC  
Tax & Costs 838.56  
Printer's Fee 35.64  
Total \$874.20

**MCKEE MIKE & MELISSA** 11-04-17-1-001-018.001 S/T/R-17/05N/20E  
COM AT INT OF E R/W  
OF ROBERTS DR & N  
R/W OF REDDOCK HILL  
RD TH N'LY 32'(S); W'LY  
25'(S) TO P.O.B. TH W'LY  
90'; N 128'(S); SE'LY  
115'(S); SLY 103'(S) TO  
POB  
Tax & Costs 182.54  
Printer's Fee 32.34  
Total \$214.88

**SCARBOROUGH KEVIN & LEDBETTER DEBRA**  
12-02-10-0-000-006.000  
S/T/R-10/05N/19E A LOT  
IN NE1/4 OF NW1/4  
DESC AS FOL BEG @  
INT OF N/L OF SD FORTY  
& NLY R/W OF US 84  
TH WLY 680' TO POB TH  
WLY 100' TH NLY 200'  
TO E 100' TH SLY 170' TO  
POB  
Tax & Costs 45.64  
Printer's Fee 36.30  
Total \$81.94

**STEWART LISA** 04-02-03-0-000-003.000 S/T/R-03/07N/19E  
COM AT INT S/L SE 1/4 OF NE 1/4 &  
E ROW CO RD 307, TH  
N 591.61' TO POB. TH  
SE 289.79', N 124.42', W  
279.30', S 89.18' TO POB.  
CONT .70 ACRES.  
Tax & Costs 78.17  
Printer's Fee 32.34  
Total \$110.51



## SPORTS NEWS

## Views From

## The Pressbox

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

*While his Mom is always ready to head to the beach whenever she gets a day off, Lawson is just as satisfied to stay at home, sleep in and get in some extra time on his various video games. I'm not sure who will win during spring break, but my guess is both will get some time doing what they enjoy the most.*

## For what it is worth....

\*\*\* *It was a short, but successful week* for the Elba Tigers and Lady Tigers as both hit the field once and both claimed big wins. The Tigers hosted county-rival 3A New Brockton and stunned the ninth-ranked Gamecocks by rallying from an early 7-0 deficit to pull out a wild 15-14 ten inning win, while the Lady Tigers traveled to 3A Daleville and also rallied late to pull off an 11-6 victory. In the Tigers' win Ty Sieving was the 'man of the hour' as he came in to pitch in relief and shut out the Gamecocks over the game's final six innings to open the door for the comeback win, while the Lady Tigers Ayrika Caldwell struck out 21 batters in their big road win. After a week off it will be right back to action for the teams with key area games ahead and hopefully lots more wins.

\*\*\* *It was another busy week* for the teams in the area in both baseball and softball as teams got in lots of action prior to spring break. All the news wasn't so good for the baseball teams as none of the teams escaped without a loss. New Brockton lost five straight games after moving in the top ten in the state polls and dropped a key area series to Op, while Zion Chapel was upset on the road in a wild loss to Highland Home. Kinston saw its post-season hopes dashed with a series loss to Samson, and Brantley dropped decisions to Luverne and Zion Chapel. The high school baseball season is quickly winding down and all the teams will be putting in extra work as they try to keep post-season hopes alive and add wins to their side of the ledger. Over on the softball field, New Brockton continued its revival with a couple of big wins and appears to be back on track after a slow start, while Brantley suffered a rare loss in a tournament in Montgomery, Zion Chapel evened its record and again proved to be a dangerous foe no matter the competition, and Kinston kept on working and adding wins to its record.

\*\*\* *I don't think anybody can do any bragging* about their NCAA tournament brackets since Kansas was the only number one seed to even make the Elite 8, and 15<sup>th</sup> seed Saint Peter's and 10<sup>th</sup> seeded Miami made runs through the field to make the final eight standing. I had Gonzaga winning it all in one of my brackets and Kentucky in another. So, I have been a spectator for quite a while. I guess the fact Alabama's women posted wins over Troy, Tulane and Houston in the WNIT don't really count as something to get really excited about.

\*\*\* *In closing....* I read in a Troy newspaper last week that Pike Liberal Arts is closer to joining the Alabama High School Athletic Association after a recent inspection by the AHSAA found no problems with the private school's athletic fields, gym and the general operation of the school's athletic program. Pike Lib is now confident it will be accepted as a member when the AHSAA meets in April, and will be eligible to compete for a state title in the 2022-2023 school year in all sports except football. A two-year wait for the football team is due to the recent realignment of the member schools, and the obvious problems adding the Patriots to the roster would cause for teams that have already completed future schedules. The Patriots will be allowed to compete in the AHSAA in football, just not compete for a state title. While no decision will be made until next month, the school, located in Troy, expects to be placed in Class 2A and hopes to join such area teams as Zion Chapel, Goshen, Arton, Abbeville, G.W. Long and others, which would save the school money and eliminate long regular season road trips across the state. Hey, it is going to be interesting to see how the Patriots are able to compete in the public school ranks after they have dominated in all male sports the last three years with the private schools.

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## Grab big road win

## Lady Tigers rally past Daleville 11-6

The Elba Lady Tigers returned to the softball field after a two-week absence from action and posted an exciting 11-6 road win over the Daleville Lady Hawks.

Aimee Senn led off the game with a single, stole second and raced home on an rbi single by Destinee Tidwell to put the Lady Tigers on top 1-0 in the top of the first inning, only to see Daleville make the most of two hits in the bottom of the second inning to plate three runs and grab a 3-1 advantage.

The Lady Tigers still trailed 3-1 heading into the

top of the fourth, but finally saw their bats come to life as they scored eight runs to jump ahead 9-3. Hailee Layton ignited the fourth inning fireworks with a leadoff inside-the-park home run, while Danielle Tidwell singled and scored on an rbi triple by Anna Caldwell. Aimee Senn added an rbi single and Destinee Tidwell ripped a two-run double to keep the inning alive, while Ayrika Caldwell added an rbi double and scored on a Daleville error, and Emily Richardson circled the bases on a pair of errors

as Elba opened up a big 9-3 lead.

Daleville cut the lead to 9-4 in the bottom of the inning and added a pair of runs in the sixth to pull within 9-6 with one inning left on the scoreboard.

The Lady Tigers added two insurance runs in the top of the seventh inning when Jayden Caldwell reached base on a one-out error and scored on an rbi triple by Aimee Senn, and Senn later scored on an rbi single by Destinee Tidwell to help Elba post the 11-6 road win.

Aimee Senn had 4 hits,

scored 3 runs and had 2 rbi's to lead the Lady Tigers at the plate, while Destinee Tidwell added 4 hits, scooped 1 run and had 4 rbi's; Danielle Tidwell added 3 hits, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi; Ayrika Caldwell, Hailee Layton and Anna Caldwell all added 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi; and, Emily Richardson added 1 hit and scored 1 run.

Ayrika Caldwell was the winning pitcher as she tossed a complete game four-hitter and allowed one earned run, while striking out 21 batters.

## Tigers bite 'Brockton 15-14

The Elba Tigers scored three runs in the bottom of the seventh inning to send the game into extra innings and then pushed across the winning run on a walk-off bases loaded infield hit by Collin Arnold in the bottom of the tenth to surprise the New Brockton Gamecocks 15-14, last Monday night in Elba.

New Brockton combined six hits, including doubles by Kaden Cupp and Jackson Lawson, with two errors to jump out to an early 7-0 lead in the top of the first inning. However, Elba showed it had come to play as the Tigers plated two runs in the bottom of the frame on a two-run single by Paxton Wise to cut the deficit to 7-2.

The Tigers continued their comeback in the second and scored five runs to pull even at 7-7. Two walks and an infield hit by Carson Wise loaded the bases with no outs in the early explosion, while Ty Sieving had an rbi single and the Tigers took advantage of a wild pitch and three New Brockton errors to pull even on the scoreboard.

The Gamecocks used an rbi single by Jackson Lawson, a two-run double by Kaden Cupp and an rbi double by Drew Cashin to regain the lead at 12-7 in the top of the third, but the Tigers again rallied and pulled within 12-8 in the bottom of the inning thanks to a walk and another error.

New Brockton pushed across two unearned runs in the fourth inning to stretch it lead to 14-8, but it proved to be the final runs the Gamecocks could muster, and the Tigers plated a lone run in the bottom of the fourth on an rbi single by Collin Arnold as the Gamecocks lead stood at 14-9 after four exciting innings.

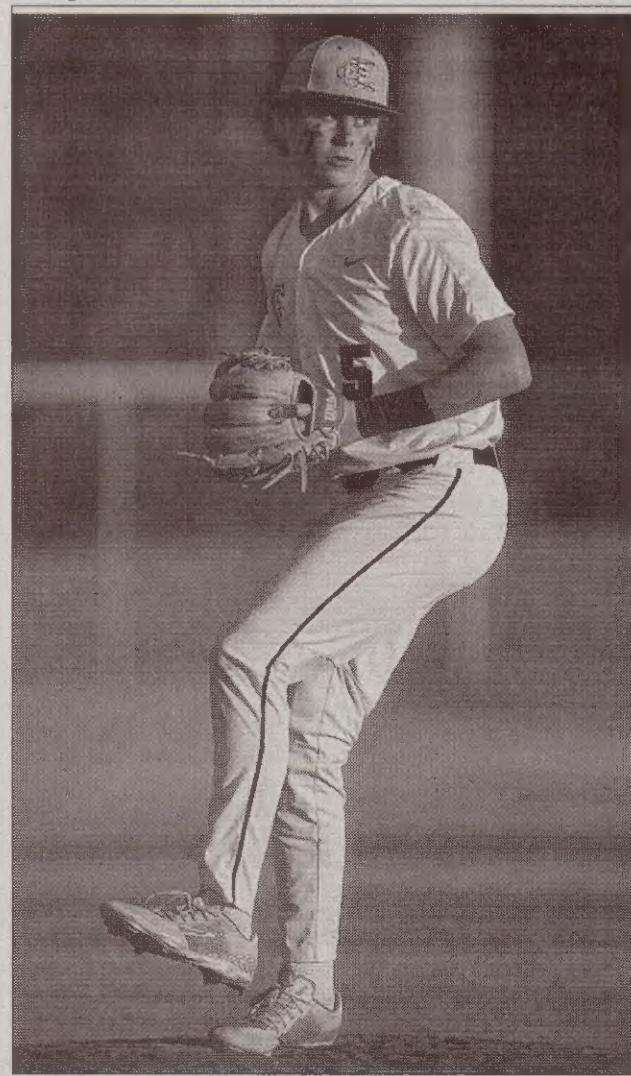
The Tigers added two runs in the sixth on walk, a hit batter and a two-out, two-run single by Carson Wise to pull within 14-11, then sent the game into extra innings.

Elba out its first two batters on base in the bottom of the seventh on a walk and a hit batter, while Brayden Johnson delivered a clutch two-out rbi single, and two more runs scored on Gamecock errors as the Tigers pulled even at 14-14.

Neither team scored in the next two innings, but in the bottom of the tenth Ty Sieving drew a leadoff walk and went to third on a single by Whit Shehee. An intentional walk to Paxton Wise loaded the bases, and set the stage for Collin Arnold to knock in the winning run on an infield hit as the Tigers celebrated the wild 15-14 win.

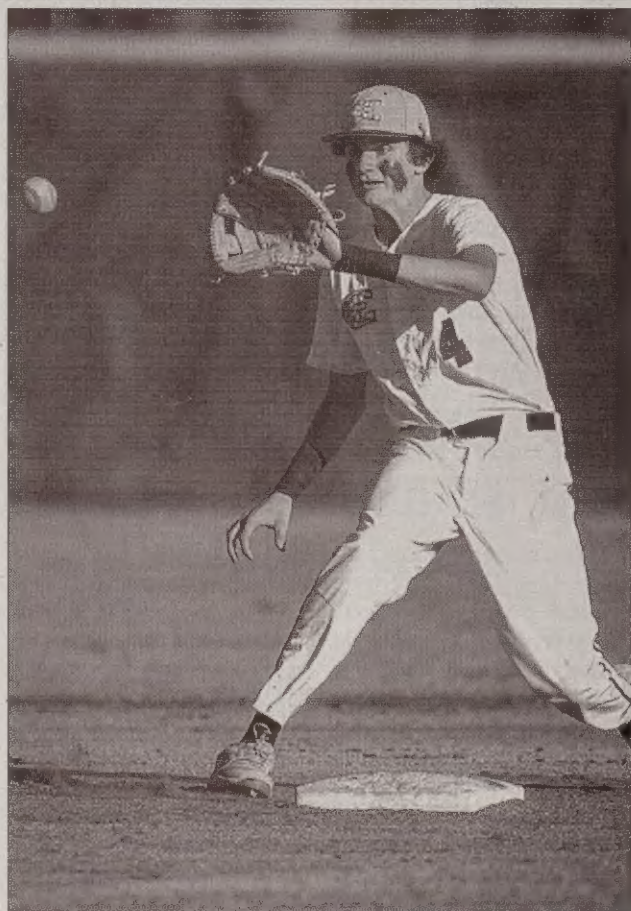
Whit Shehee had 3 hits and scored 3 runs to lead Elba at the plate, while Carson Wise added 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 2 rbi's; Collin Arnold added 2 hits, scored 3 runs and had 1 rbi; Ty Sieving had 1 hit, scored 4 runs and had 1 rbi; and, Paxton Wise and Brayden Johnson both added 1 hit, scored 2 runs and had 2 rbi's. Ty Sieving was the winning pitcher, in relief, as he tossed six scoreless innings and allowed no hits, with two strikeouts.

Kaden Cupp had 4 hits, scored 3 runs and had 4 rbi's to lead the Gamecocks, while Jackson Lawson added 2 hits, scored 2 runs and had 3 rbi's; Drew Cashin added 2 hits, scored 2 runs and had 2 rbi's; and, Payton Green added 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 2 rbi's. Five New Brockton pitcher combined to allowed 11 earned runs on 12 hits and 13 walks, while recording 15 strikeouts.



Elba Tiger Ty Sieving (5) pitched six scoreless innings to spark last week's 15-14 comeback win over New Brockton.

(Photo by BC Sports Photography)



Elba Tiger Collin Arnold (4) prepares to turn a double-play in a recent Tiger win.

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## SCHEDULES

**Friday, April 1**  
(Soccer)  
Houston Ac. At New Brockton (M-W) 5:30

**Monday, April 4**  
(Baseball)  
Zion Chapel at Opp (4:30)  
Straughn at Kinston (4:30)  
Ch. Henderson at Brantley DH (4:30)  
(Softball)  
Elba at G.W. Long (4:30)  
Geneva Co. at Zion Chapel (4:30)  
Kinston at Slocomb (4:30)  
(Golf)  
Elba/Brantley, at Elba C.C.

**Tuesday, April 5**  
(Baseball)  
Geneva County at Elba (4:30)  
Kinston at New Brockton (4:30)  
Luverne at Brantley (4:30)  
(Softball)  
G.W. Long at Zion Chapel (4:30)

Pike County at New Brockton (4:30)  
Floral at Kinston (4:30)  
Brantley at Opp (4:30)  
(Soccer)  
New Brockton at G.W. Long M-W (5:30)

**Wednesday, April 6**  
(Golf)  
Brantley/Elba, at Brantley

**Thursday, April 7**  
(Baseball)  
Elba at Zion Chapel DH (4:30)  
Pike County at New Brockton (4:30)  
(Softball)  
Ariton at Elba (4:30)  
Zion Chapel at Kinston (4:30)  
Opp at New Brockton (4:30)  
Brantley at Geneva (4:30)

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## Collin Sauls earns low medalist

## Elba Tiger golfers defeat Rehobeth

The Elba High School Golf Team added another win to the season Tuesday, March 22, when the Elba golfers defeated the golf team from Rehobeth High School.

Other schools at the event had students participating as individuals, but only Elba and Rehobeth fielded full teams.

Elba won the team event with an over score of 330.

Rehobeth's team shot a combined 372 on the day.

Elba's Collin Sauls was the low medalist for the event with a 78 while Elba's Trace Grantham finished second low medalist with a 79.

Elba's five-man team was completed with Jay Wilson (scored an 85), Peyton McCart (scored an 88), and Bradley Chapman (scored an 101).

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## SPORTS NEWS



Brantley Bulldog pitcher Jordan Parks brings one to the plate in recent high school baseball action.  
(Photo by Coidy Nichols)

## BASEBALL – VARSITY

**Brantley 11 Florala 3** – The Brantley Bulldogs used a 6-run third inning to erase an early 3-2 deficit in an 11-3 win over the Florala Wildcats. Tucker Kilcrease had 3 hits, scored 2 runs and had 2 rbi's to lead the Bulldogs at the plate, while Harper Kilcrease added 3 hits, scored 2 runs and had 1 rbi; Jon Bush added 2 hits, scored 3 runs and had 2 rbi's; and, Tyson Grant added 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 3 rbi's. Cooper Layton was the winning pitcher as he tossed four innings and allowed six hits and three earned runs, with five strikeouts.

**Samson 3 Kinston 1** – The Kinston Bulldogs came out on the short end of a pitcher's duel in a 3-1 area setback to the Samson Tigers. Jeb Crosby had 1 hit and 1 rbi to lead the Bulldogs, while Owen Patterson scored 1 run, and JW Mikel, Cale Sumblin and CJ Lunsford all added 1 hit. Cale Sumblin was the hard luck loser on the mound as he pitched six innings, allowed four hits and three earned runs, and struck out eight.

**Highland Home 16 Zion Chapel 15** – The Zion Chapel Rebels watched an early 10-1 lead vanish under a furious final inning rally in a disappointing 16-15 road loss to the Highland Home Flying Squadron. Mason Stuart had 3 hits, scored 1 run and had 5 rbi's to lead the Rebels, while Brodie Stinson added 1 hit, scored 2 runs and had 1 rbi; Wes Braisted added 1 hit, scored 2 runs and had 1 rbi; and, Austin Jordan added 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 2 rbi's. Four Zion Chapel pitchers combined to toss six and two-thirds innings and allowed eight earned runs on 10 hits and 11 walks.

**Luverne 8 Brantley 1** – The Brantley Bulldogs fell behind early and never threatened in an 8-1 loss to the Luverne Tigers. Tyson Grant had 2 hits and scored 1 run to lead the Bulldogs, while Jordan Parks, Jon Bush, and Cooper Layton all added 1 hit. Three Brantley pitchers combined to toss six innings and allowed seven earned runs on four hits and seven walks.

**Samson 11 Kinston 5** – The Kinston Bulldogs fell behind early and saw a late rally fall short in an 11-5 area loss to the Samson Tigers. Tripp Hawthorne had 3 hits and 2 rbi's to lead the Bulldogs, while Cade Jones added 1 hit and 1 rbi, Jeb Crosby scored 1 run and had 1 rbi, and JW Mikel added 1 hit. Two Kinston pitchers allowed ten earned runs on 13 hits, with 5 strikeouts.

**Opp 8 New Brockton 7** – The New Brockton Gamecocks rallied from an early 5-0 deficit to pull even at 7-7 in the bottom of the sixth inning, but watched as the Opp Bobcats scored the game's final run to escape with an 8-7 area win. Drew Cashin had 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 2 rbi's to lead the Gamecocks, while Jaxon Whitworth added 2 hits and scored 2 runs; Kaden Cupp added 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi; Payton Green added 1 hit and 2 rbi's; and, Colton McClenny added 1 hit and scored 1 run. Three Gamecock pitchers combined to pitch seven innings and allowed six earned runs on five hits, while recording 10 strikeouts.

**Brantley 12 Highland Home 8** – The Brantley Bulldogs used a 4-run fifth inning to break a 6-6 tie in a 12-8 win over Highland Home. Jayden Parks had 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 2 rbi's to lead the Bulldogs, while Jon Bush and Kaleb Weed both added 1 hit, scored 2 runs and had 2 rbi's; and, Tucker Kilcrease added 1 hit, scored 2 runs and had 1 rbi. Kendrick Welch and Harper Kilcrease combined to pitch seven innings and allowed three earned runs on eight hits and five walks, while striking out five.

**Zion Chapel 11 Brantley 9** – The Zion Chapel Rebels rallied from a 7-3 fourth inning deficit to post an exciting 11-9 win over the Brantley Bulldogs. Brodie Stinson had 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 4 rbi's to lead the Rebels, while Austin Jordan added 2 hits, scored 2 runs and had 1 rbi; and, Paden Boothe added 2 hits and scored 2 runs. Four Rebel pitchers combined to toss four innings and allowed eight earned runs on 11 hits and five walks, while striking out four. The Bulldogs were led at the plate by Jon Bush with 3 hits, 1 run scored and 1 rbi, while Tucker Kilcrease added 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 4 rbi's; Jordan Parks added 1 hit and scored 3 runs; and, John Robert Fisher added 1 hit, scored 2 runs and had 1 rbi. Two Bulldog pitchers combined to toss six innings and allowed six earned runs on 11 hits and struck out four batters.

**Opp 16 New Brockton 10** – The New Brockton Gamecocks carried a 10-9 lead into the bottom of the sixth inning, but failed to protect the late lead as the Opp Bobcats rallied for seven runs in the frame to claim a 16-10 area win. Drew Cashin had 3 hits and scored 3 runs to lead the Gamecocks, while Brayson Carr added 3 hits and scored 1 run; Colton McClenny added 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 3 rbi's; Jaxon Whitworth added 2 hits and scored 1 run; and, Payton Green blasted a home run, scored 1 run and had 3 rbi's. Four Gamecock pitchers combined to toss six innings and allowed five earned runs on 12 hits and five walks.

**\*\* Baseball \*\* Softball \*\***  
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## SOFTBALL – VARSITY

**Brantley 5 Luverne 2** – The top-ranked Brantley Lady Bulldogs rallied from a 2-1 fourth inning deficit to post a 5-2 win over the Luverne Lady Tigers. Annah Little had 3 hits and 2 rbi's to lead the Lady Bulldogs at the plate, while Campbell Hawthorne added 1 hit and scored 2 runs, and Kaylee Navarre added 1 hit and 1 rbi. Kaylee Navarre pitched a complete game four-hitter and allowed two earned runs and recorded 14 strikeouts.

**Zion Chapel 18 Geneva County 6** – The Zion Chapel Lady Rebels got back on the winning track with a big 18-6 win over the Geneva County Lady Bulldogs. Alexis Wambles had 4 hits, scored 3 runs and had 2 rbi's to lead the Lady Rebels at the plate, while Kaylee Hodge added 3 hits, scored 3 runs and had 2 rbi's; Kaylen McAllister added 2 hits, scored 2 runs and had 6 rbi's; Elly Sheets and Emily Rhoades added 2 hits, scored 2 runs and had 1 rbi; Shea Wambles added 2 hits and scored 3 runs; Sydney Boothe added 2 hits and 2 rbi's; and, Riley Bannin added 2 hits and scored 2 runs. Sydney Boothe was the winning pitcher as she tossed six innings and allowed four hits and two earned runs, while recording 11 strikeouts.

**New Brockton 13 Goshen 3** – The New Brockton Lady Gamecocks scored in every inning to post a 13-3 win over the Goshen Lady Eagles. Lizzy Everts had 3 hits, scored 3 runs and had 2 rbi's to lead the Lady Gamecocks, while Kierstin Sunday added 2 hits, scored 3 runs and had 2 rbi's; Madison Meeks added 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 4 rbi's; and, Shelby Hobbs added 2 hits and 3 rbi's. Jordyn Thornton was the winning pitcher as she tossed five innings and allowed three hits and three earned runs, while recording eight strikeouts.

**Brantley 9 Red Level 0** – The Brantley Lady Bulldogs scored five runs in the fourth inning to break a scoreless tie and then pulled away to defeat the Red Level Lady Tigers 9-0. Annah Little had 2 hits, scored 2 runs and had 2 rbi's to lead the Lady Bulldogs at the plate, while Anna Free added 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 2 rbi's; Sheonte Barginere added 1 hit and 3 rbi's; and, Emma Crawley added 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi. Kaylee Navarre was the winner in the circle as she pitched a complete game one-hitter with 11 strikeouts.

**New Brockton 8 Highland Home 7** – The New Brockton Lady Gamecocks rallied from an early 5-0 deficit and completed the comeback with a 3-run sixth inning outburst to claim an 8-7 win over the Highland Home Lady Squadron. Madison Meeks had 3 hits, scored 3 runs and had 2 rbi's to lead the Lady Gamecocks, while Shelby Hobbs added 3 hits, scored 2 runs and had 2 rbi's; Kierstin Sunday added 3 hits and scored 2 runs; Lizzy Everts added 2 hits and scored 1 run; and, Anna Blackmon added 2 hits. Jordyn Thornton was the winning pitcher, in relief, as she tossed four innings and allowed one hit, while striking out three.

**Zion Chapel 6 Slocumb 4** – The Zion Chapel Lady Rebels pulled ahead early and held on late in an exciting 6-4 loss to the Slocumb Lady Red Tops. Sydney Boothe and Kaylee Hodge both had 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi to lead the Lady Rebels, while Riley Bannin added 2 hits, and Kaylen McAllister and Elly Sheets both added 1 hit and scored 1 run. Riley Bannin got the win inside the circle as she pitched seven innings and allowed three earned runs on four hits, while striking out 11 batters.

**Zion Chapel 11 Northside Methodist 3** – The Zion Chapel Lady Rebels used a 9-run third inning to erase a 3-1 deficit in an 11-3 win over Northside Methodist. Alexis Wambles had 2 hits, scored 3 runs and had 2 rbi's to lead the Lady Rebels at the plate, while Emily Rhoades added 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 3 rbi's; Shea Wambles added 2 hits, scored 2 runs and had 1 rbi; Kaylen McAllister and Sydney Boothe both added 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi; and, Riley Bannin added 2 hits and scored 2 runs. Riley Bannin was the winning pitcher as she tossed five and two-thirds innings and allowed three hits, while striking out eight.

**Brewbaker Tech 7 Brantley 5** – The Brantley Lady Bulldogs saw an early 5-3 lead slip away in a 7-5 loss to undefeated Brewbaker Tech, at the annual Alex Wilcox FCA tournament at Lagoon Park, in Montgomery. Anna Free had 1 hit, a grand-slam home run, scored 1 run and had 4 rbi's to lead the Lady Bulldogs at the plate, while Sheonte Barginere added a solo home run and Kayden Dunn added 1 hit. Three Brantley pitchers combined to toss four innings and allowed two earned runs on two hits and six walks, while striking out four.

**Andalusia 9 Kinston 0** – The Kinston Lady Bulldogs fell behind 8-0 in the second inning and never recovered in a 9-0 loss to Andalusia. Isabella Lashley had 2 hits to lead the Lady Bulldogs, while Cadence Elmore, Lyla Bruce, Chloe Phillips and Kelsi Cardwell all added 1 hit. Two Kinston pitchers combined to toss seven innings and allowed nine earned runs on 13 hits and four walks.

**Brantley 8 Spring Garden 2** – The Brantley Lady Bulldogs used an 8-run third inning to take command in an 8-2 win over Spring Garden, at the Alex Wilcox FCA tournament, at Lagoon Park, in Montgomery. Sheonte Barginere had 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 3 rbi's to lead the Lady Bulldogs, while Campbell Hawthorne added 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 2 rbi's; Anna Free and Emma Crawley both added 1 hit and scored 1 run; and, Alex Grimes added a triple and one rbi. Kaylee Navarre was the winning pitcher as she tossed three shutout innings and allowed two hits, while striking out five.

**Opp 6 Brantley 5** – The Brantley Lady Bulldogs watched a 5-0 fifth inning lead vanish in a 6-5 loss to the Opp Lady Bobcats, at the Alex Wilcox FCA tournament, at Lagoon Park, in Montgomery. Kaylee Navarre had 2 hits, including a triple, and knocked in 3 runs to lead the Lady Bulldogs, while Sheonte Barginere added 2 hits and scored 1 run; Campbell Hawthorne added 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi; Anna Free added 1 hit and 1 rbi; and, Alex Grimes added 1 hit and 1 rbi.

## BASEBALL – JUNIOR VARSITY

**Zion Chapel 21 Elba 0** – The Zion Chapel Rebels used an 18-run second inning to take command and rolled to a 21-0 win over the Elba Tigers. Brodie Stinson had 2 hits, scored 4 runs and had 3 rbi's to lead the Rebels, while Preston Eddins added 2 hits, scored 1 run and had 4 rbi's; and, Brady Flowers added 1 hit, scored 3 runs and had 2 rbi's. Dylan Davis was the winning pitcher as he tossed two innings and allowed one hit, with three strikeouts.



New Brockton Lady Gamecock first-baseman Shelby Hobbs stretches for a throw in a recent win.

(Photo by Ashley Bertsch)

Jay Wilson had the only Elba hit, while four Tiger pitcher combined to pitch two innings and allowed six hits and 11 walks.

**Zion Chapel 15 Elba 6** – The Zion Chapel Rebels used an 8-run first inning to grab command and coasted in with a 15-6 win over the Elba Tigers. Preston Eddins had 3 hits and had 2 rbi's to lead the Rebels at the plate, while Brodie Stinson added 2 hits, scored 3 runs and had 3 rbi's; and Ben Hobbs, Macon Allen and Parker Sanford all added 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi. Jay Wilson had 3 hits and scored 1 run to lead the Tigers, while Trace Grantham added 2 hits and 1 rbi, and Easton McKelvey scored 2 runs. Two Elba pitchers tossed four innings and allowed nine hits and eight walks.

**Zion Chapel 19 Elba 1** – The Zion Chapel Rebels put the wraps on an undefeated season with a big 19-1 in over the Elba Tigers. Joseph LeGear had 3 hits, scored 3 runs and had 4 rbi's to lead the Rebels, while John Foster Hamm added 1 hit, scored 3 runs and had 1 rbi; Preston Eddins added 1 hit, scored 2 runs and had 1 rbi; Brayden Benbow and Dylan Davis both added 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 2 rbi's; and, Brady Flowers added 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 1 rbi. John Foster Hamm was the winning pitcher as he tossed three innings and allowed one earned run on four hits, while striking out eight. Easton McKelvey had 1 hit and scored 1 run and Brady Johnson added 1 hit and had 1 rbi to lead the Tigers, while Jay Wilson and Trace Grantham both added 1 hit.

## SOFTBALL – JUNIOR VARSITY

**New Brockton 8 Goshen 6** – The New Brockton Lady Gamecocks rallied late on a bases-loaded walk off double in the final inning by Ally Zorn to claim an exciting 8-6 win over the Goshen Lady Eagles. Gabby Eubanks had 2 hits and scored 1 run to lead the Lady Gamecocks, while Makenzie Jones added 2 hits and scored 3 runs; Reese Danford added 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 3 rbi's; and, Ally Zorn added 1 hit, scored 1 run and had 3 rbi's. Makenzie Jones was the winning pitcher as she tossed four innings and allowed four hits and four earned runs, while striking out seven.

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## COMMUNITY NEWS



**2022-2023 MISS ZION CHAPEL QUEENS...** Altrusa International of Jack, Alabama hosted the Miss Zion Chapel pageants on Saturday, March 19, at Zion Chapel School. Queens were crowned in seven categories. The new queens representing the Jack community this year will be (front, from left): Paisley Katherine Jordan, Petite Miss Zion Chapel; Lily Kate Roberts, Future Little Miss Zion Chapel; Isabella LeAnn Boutwell, Little Miss Zion Chapel; Emma Lou Faircloth, Junior Miss Zion Chapel; and Emma-Kate Jordan, Pre-Teen Miss Zion Chapel; (back, from left): Savannah Lee Campbell, Teen Miss Zion Chapel; and Ella Jordan Saunders, Miss Zion Chapel.

### Troy University's Dr. Fred Figliano selected for AASCU's emerging leaders program

Dr. Fred Figliano, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs and Strategic Initiatives in Troy University's College of Education, has been selected to participate in the American Association of State Colleges and Universities' (AASCU) 2022 Emerging Leaders Program.

Dr. Figliano is among the group of academic and administrative leaders from 32 different AASCU institutions.

Designed for early- to mid-

career professionals and faculty leaders who have an interest in higher education leadership, the Emerging Leaders Program will enable participants to engage in a national dialogue with experienced leaders and experts in higher education and to develop a network of colleagues from around the country.

Dr. Figliano first joined Troy University in 2011 as an adjunct faculty member before becoming a member of the full-time faculty in 2014

as an Assistant Professor in the Department of Teacher Education. He served as Chair of the Department of Teacher Education from 2019 to 2021. He currently holds the rank of Associate Professor in addition to Associate Dean.

Dr. Figliano was a Troy University Chancellor's Fellow in 2021, and, in 2018, was among the Leaders to Watch as selected by the International Technology and Engineering Educators Association.



The "Best in Show" winner of the Spring 2022 Foggy Bottom Cruisin' Car Show held Saturday, March 19, in Elba was Ruth Stokes with her 1955 GMC C10 truck. Stokes is from Baker, Fla., and she and the truck are pictured above with event organizer Kenneth Calhoun, a member of the Foggy Bottom Cruisers.

### Foggy Bottom Cruisin' Car Show brings nearly 130 classic and modified vehicles to Elba, Ala.

The Foggy Bottom Cruisers hosted the Spring 2022 Foggy Bottom Cruisin' Car Show on Saturday, March 19, in downtown Elba.

Car lovers had plenty to see as some 129 vehicles were lined around the courthouse square for viewing. It was largest car show hosted by the Foggy Bottom Cruisers to date, and proceeds will be donated to the Elba Chamber of Commerce.

Winner of the "Best of Show" award was Ruth Stokes from Baker, Florida with her 1955 GMC C10 truck. She participated in the modified class.

Other winners were:

- 1925-1959 Classic Cars – 1st Place, Joe Wallace with a 1957 Bel-Air; 2nd Place, Carlos Gonzalez with a 1956 Bel-Air

- 1925-1959 Modified Cars – 1st Place, Gail Reeves with a 1955 Chevy; 2nd Place, Mike Caluda with a 1934 Ford 2DR

- 1960-1966 Classic Cars – 1st Place, Charles Hayes with a 1966 Mustang GT convertible; 2nd Place, Ronald Kennedy with a 1966 Chevelle SS

- 1960-1966 Modified Cars – 1st Place, Frank Johnson with a 1966 Nova SS; 2nd Place, David and Katherine Windham with a 1964 Shelby

- 1967-1969 Classic Cars – 1st Place, Sonny Hudson with a 1967 Camaro; 2nd Place, Dave Sutton with a 1967 Corvette

- 1967-1969 Modified Cars – 1st Place, John Newton with a 1967 Chevelle SS; 2nd Place, Troy Matthews with a 1969 Camaro

- 1970-1979 Classic Cars – 1st Place, Ruck Martin with a 1970 Mustang; 2nd Place, Dennis Gibbs with a 1970 Nova SS

- 1970-1979 Modified Cars – 1st Place, Marty and Deb with a 1971 Camaro; 2nd Place, Tucker Weeks with a 1971 Chevelle

- 1980-1994 Classic Cars – 1st Place, Jack Mace Jr. with a 1984 Montebello;



Elba Queens are pictured above with a 1978 INT Scout, owned by Rachel Moore of Elba. Moore's vehicle won first place in the 1973-2022 Classic Trucks division. Moore is also grandfather of Miss Elba, Zalie McKelvy.

2nd Place, Trent Fritz with a 1986 Buick GN

- 1980-1994 Modified Cars – 1st Place, Steve Johnson with a 1987 Fiero; 2nd Place, Pete Williams with a 1992 Mustang

- 1995-2022 Classic Cars – 1st Place, Steve Caird with a 2007 Mustang; 2nd Place, Don Nelson with a 2015 Corvette

- 1995-2022 Modified Cars – 1st Place, Ginger McClay with a 2004 Mustang; 2nd Place, Josh Hammonds with a 2015 Dodge Charger

- 1925-1972 Classic Trucks – 1st Place, Lynn and Henry Kennedy with a 1970 Bronco; 2nd Place, David Quimby with a 1929 Ford PU

- 1925-1972 Modified Trucks – 1st Place, Rex Thompson with a 1955 GMS; 2nd Place, Tucker Faulk with a 1941 Ford PU

- 1973-2022 Classic Trucks – 1st Place, Rachel



Moore with a 1978 INT Scout; 2nd Place, Casey Buril with a 1985 C10

- Foreign Cars – 1st Place, Julio Caban with a 1965 VW Beetle; 2nd Place, Richard Lee with a 1972 VW Beetle

- Open Class – 1st Place, Venny Cable with a 1971 Toyota FJ40; 2nd Place, Jason Harley with a 2015 Harley

There were also six awards presented for "Judges Choice" and these were for vehicles the judges were impressed with for various reasons. The Judges Choice awards went to: Bobby and Angie Simpson with a 1934 Olds Sedan (Rat Rod), David and Katherine Windham with a 1964 Shelby Cobra 427, Sonny Hudson with a 1967 Camaro RS, Dennis Gibbs with a 1970 Nova, Trent Fritz with a 1986 Buick Grand National, and Earl and Lynn Adkison with a 2001 Corvette



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It was a beautiful day for a car show Saturday, March 19, in Elba, and the vehicles on display were uniquely amazing! Event organizers said 129 vehicles were registered to be "shown off" for the event, and many people visited downtown Elba to enjoy the efforts of the vehicle owners. The event overall was deemed a huge success!

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